

### WORK ON HOSPITAL TO BE STARTED SOON

#### Municipal Council Heard Plans Explained Today—Many Petitions—Clean-Up Campaign

Further steps for the erection of the contagious hospital were taken this morning by the municipal council at a regular meeting, when it was voted to instruct the architect to draw specifications to call for bids for the erection of the administration building, shack and boiler plant. The specifications will be ready next week at which time bids will be called. The tenants in the building owned by the Yarnum heirs and located at the Pawtucketville end of the Pawtucket bridge will be notified to vacate at once in order that the building may be removed to make way for the bridge approach.

Several garage petitions were granted and considerable business was transacted. The meeting was called to order by Mayor Clough.

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### POLICE FIND NEW CLUE IN BILLERICA CASE

#### STORY TOLD BY WOUNDED MAN MAY LEAD TO ARRESTS—STATE POLICE BUSY

A new clue which may lead to important information has been obtained in the Billerica shooting case, and is being thoroughly investigated by State Police Officer Barrett and Officer O'Brien of the town police today. Tony Lagana, the injured man, is improved and it is understood that he gave the police the clue that is expected to assist in the solving of the mystery.

Both Officers Barrett and O'Brien are out of town today for the purpose, it is understood, of testing the strength of a story told by Lagana, who talks more freely now than when at first taken to the hospital. What the new information is could not be learned but it is supposed to relate to some trouble that Lagana had with fellow countrymen some time ago.

Two Italian families reside on Oak street, North Billerica, near where the shooting occurred. They are all at home and have been interviewed.

### AMERICANS ON BARK SUNK BY SUBMARINE

#### NO GROUND FOR COMPLAINT TO TEUTONIC POWERS IN SUMMARY RECEIVED FROM CONSUL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—No ground for complaint to the Teutonic powers was found by state department officials in a summary received today from the consul at Barcelona of affidavits made by two American sailors who belonged to the crew of the Italian bark Stella Del Mare, sunk a fortnight ago off the Spanish coast. The bark is believed to have been torpedoed but the statements of the American seamen are regarded as too inconclusive to furnish the basis for diplomatic inquiries.

The crew of the American steamer Owego, fired upon by a German submarine, is considered closed with the explanation of Germany that the Owego ignored the warning shots and that firing ceased when her nationality was discovered.

### COBB CONCEDES LEAD TO TRIS SPEAKER

#### IMPOSSIBLE TO TRY TO CUT DOWN LEAD AND CO-OPERATE IN TEAM PLAY, SAYS TY

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 19.—Tyrus Cobb, for nine years the leading batsman of the American league, today conceded that Tris Speaker of the Cleveland club would be the 1916 champion. Speaker now has a margin of nearly 50 points over Cobb, according to unofficial averages. Cobb said it would be a human impossibility to try to cut down this lead and at the same time to co-operate in team play to the fullest extent of his ability. Cobb's individual efforts won two of Detroit's recent victories.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS

HARTFORD, Conn., Sept. 19.—Six new cases of infantile paralysis were reported to the state board of health today, bringing the total to 632.

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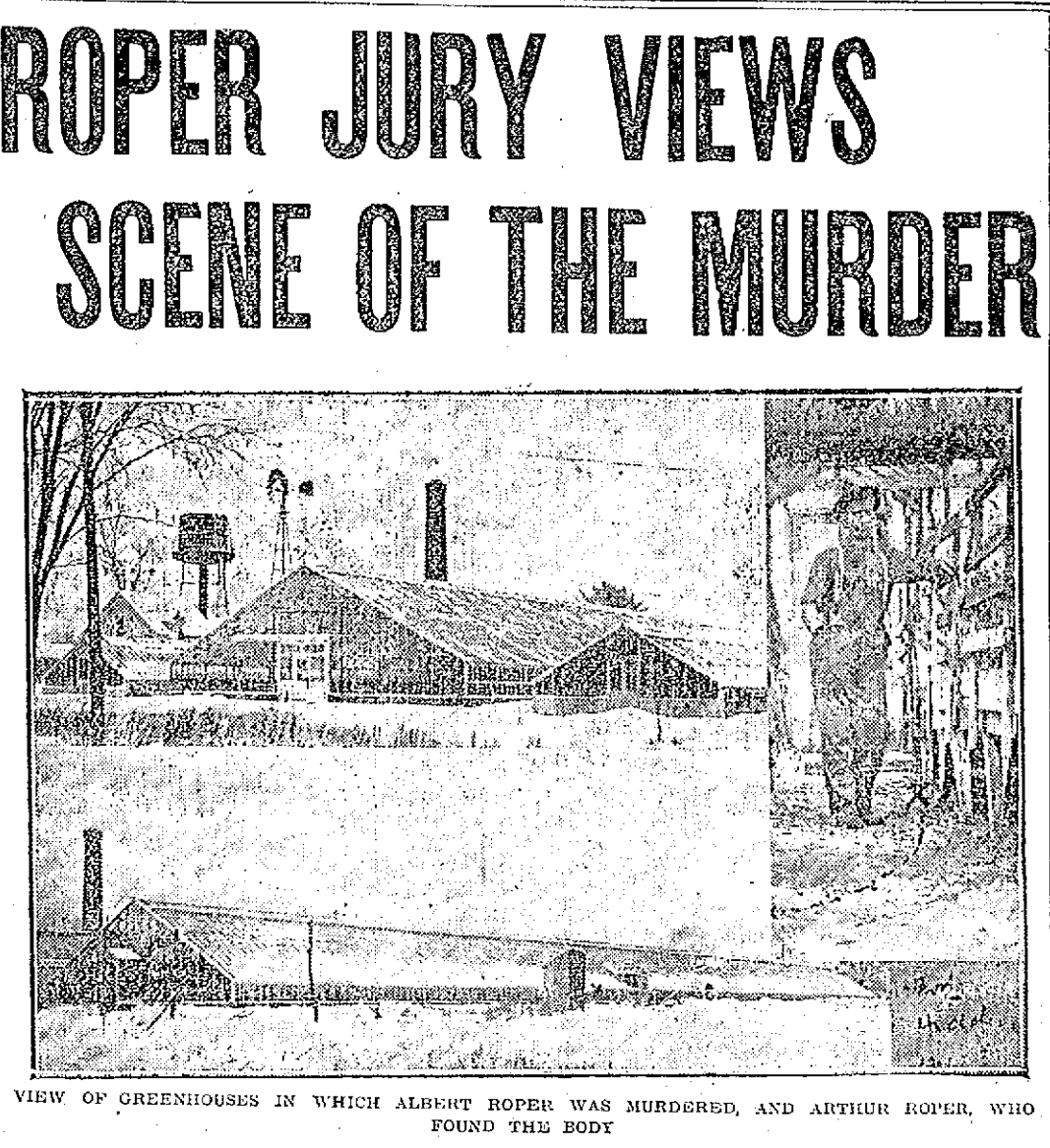
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CENTRAL STREET



VIEW OF GREENHOUSES IN WHICH ALBERT ROPER WAS MURDERED, AND ARTHUR ROPER, WHO FOUND THE BODY

### ROPER JURY VIEWS SCENE OF THE MURDER

The Roper trial at Cambridge was suspended today while Judge Stevens and the jury went to view the premises at Tewksbury, accompanied by deputy sheriffs, court officers, Major Crowley and lawyers for the defense. The jury started for Tewksbury before 11 o'clock and viewed the premises very carefully.

The jurors examined the greenhouses in which Albert Roper was murdered and judged of the distances, the exits and entrances.

Besides, their attention was called to the proximity to the carline and the point at which the government will claim Albert J. Roper, the prisoner, was seen on the night of the murder.

As the murder was committed on the night or early morning of Mar. 1, the scene at that time was very much different from that which it presented today. The accompanying picture shows how it looked the day after the murder.

The people of Tewksbury are taking much interest in the case and today the visit of the jury and court attracted much attention and the visitors were watched by a large crowd from a distance.

The court returned to Cambridge this afternoon but the hearing of evidence was put off till tomorrow.

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### BAD WEATHER HOLDS UP ALLIES ALONG SOMME

#### Cessation of Heavy Attacks After Series of Successes—Germans Make Five Successive Attacks on Russians in Champagne District—All Checked

Bad weather has set in along the Somme front in northern France and the Anglo-French offensive has halted.

Both London and Paris report a cessation of the heavy attacks by the British and French which during the past few days have won them many square miles of new ground, carried the British to within four miles of Baupenne virtually pocketed Combes and seriously weakened the hold of the Germans on Peronne and Chaulnes.

Meanwhile the Germans have made a diversion in the Champagne district, where the French a year ago this month struck their heaviest blow in the autumn offensive of the allies. Yesterday's reports from the Champagne of notable artillery activity were followed by the announcement from Paris that the Germans last night made five successive attacks on Russian troops there. In the sector between Souain and Somme-Py. The Russians checked each drive with artillery and machine gun fire, the French war office reports.

Monastir Threatened

An interesting situation is developing in western Macedonia, where the Serbians, French and Russians have driven the Bulgarians out of Florina and the adjacent district. Monastir, in southwestern Serbia, is now threatened by the allied advance and it is reported that the Bulgarians are evacuating the place, removing the Bulgarian archives to Uskub.

Serbian Advancing

Military observers point to the possibility, in view of these developments, that the main thrust of the allies' Serbian army may be directed from the Cerna valley in which the Florina and Monastir towards Prilap. The Serbians are advancing also east of the Cerna, and are reported by Paris today to have successfully withstood two Bulgarian counter-attacks. There have been no sustained offensive movements in either the Vardar region or that of the Struma, the other possible lines of advance for the allies in their Macedonian campaign.

Greece's Demands Upon Germany

On the Galician front the battle along the Narayuvka with Hlitz as a stake is proceeding, neither side apparently being able to gain a decisive advantage. Greece is reported to have made demands upon Germany for the return of the Greek troops taken by the Bulgarians at Kavala and ordered sent to Germany for internment. Unofficial intimations are that a refusal will mean the entry of Greece into the war.

LIEUT. DE ROCHEFORT, WHO BROUGHT DOWN SIX GERMAN MACHINES, MISSING

PARIS, Sept. 19.—Flight Lieut. de Rochefort, who brought down his sixth German machine on Saturday has been posted as missing.

Flight Adjutant Tarascon who was mentioned in yesterday's official statement in connection with the capture of the machine, is reported to be in the hands of the Germans.

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### OWNERS OF IDLE MINES IN MEXICO PROTEST

#### AMERICAN CORPORATIONS APPEAL TO STATE DEPARTMENT AGAINST NEW DECREE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—American corporations having idle mines in Mexico today appealed to the state

### MRS. KLIPPER APPEARS AGAINST BLACKMAILERS

#### Was Trapped and Fleeced in New York Hotel—Four of the Alleged Gang May Escape Prosecution

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Four members of the alleged \$10,000,000 band of blackmailers may escape prosecution, federal officials admitted today.

Mrs. Regina Klipper, a divorcee, of Philadelphia, the government's chief witness, arrived under guard of federal agents to appear against the alleged blackmailers at the hearing this afternoon.

Hinton G. Clabaugh, of the United States department of justice, said he was confident Mrs. Klipper would identify Edward Donahue, Henry Russell and Mrs. Helen Evers as directors of the organization.

"The case against the others under arrest," Clabaugh said, "is doubtful. I am satisfied, however, with our case against the first three."

IMMUNITY FOR CROCKER

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Release on bond of several members of the alleged blackmail syndicate arrested by federal agents, was granted today.

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### GENERAL STRIKE TO BE CALLED THURSDAY

#### LOWEST DEATH RATE IN HISTORY OF COUNTRY

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Mayor Mitchell called today conference with him today representatives of the chamber of commerce and Merchants' association to try to avert the threatened strike of 70,000 workers in this city in sympathy with the street railway employees. The mayor has received warning from the labor leaders that unless he and the committee of business men settle the car men's strike by Thursday night, a general walkout of virtually all the labor unions in this city and vicinity will be ordered.

No plan has been proposed for the consideration of the mayor and the business men's committee. President Shouts of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co., said the company would have no further negotiations with the car men's union but was willing to consider any proposition from the mayor.

The street railway strike was extended to Queens county early today when many conductors and motormen of the New York and Queens county railroad went out in protest against the use of their members to operate cars and break the strike in Manhattan. Union leaders asserted that 14 street car lines in Queens were tied up, but the company claimed that 50 per cent. of its cars were in service and that not more than 300 men had left their places.

While the mayor's conference was in progress, William B. Fitzgerald, union organizer addressed a meeting of striking car men. "The general strike is rolling along in full glory," he said. "If the mayor and public service commission do not settle things by Thursday next they will find other things to entertain the police beside 11,000 striking men."

### INVESTIGATING QUEBEC BRIDGE DISASTER

#### CORONER'S JURY INVESTIGATES COLLAPSE OF SPAN—SIX BODIES RECOVERED

QUEBEC, Que., Sept. 19.—A coroner's jury today began investigation of the Quebec bridge disaster of Sept. 13, when 13 workmen were killed with the fall of the central span. Six bodies of victims have been recovered.

CARD OF THANKS

We, the undersigned, desire to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for their acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, particularly the Mohair Plush mill and Daylight Bowling alleys of Middlesex street.

Mrs. Ellen Secor and Family.

ARRESTED FOR LYNN POLICE

Thomas H. Latham, who gave his address as Appleton street, this city, was arrested this afternoon by Sergt. Petrie for the Lynn police. He is charged with non-support of his minor children.

### HEBREWSTO JOIN GREAT STRIKE

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The United Hebrew Trades, representing a membership of 200,000 organized workers, last night voted to go on a sympathetic strike as an aid to the striking carmen if they are called upon to do so by the Central Federated union.

PERSHING MAY BE MADE A MAJOR GENERAL

COMMANDER OF AMERICAN PUNITIVE EXPEDITION TO SUCCEED LATE MAJ. GEN. MILLS

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Brig. Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of the American punitive expedition in Mexico and ranking brigadier of the army, probably will be made a major general, a vacancy in that grade having been created by the death of Maj. Gen. Mills.

\$10 a Barrel

Owing to the continual rise in flour and all other BAKERS' SUPPLIES the following advance in prices will go into effect Wednesday, Sept. 20th:

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Fancy Cakes, doz...30c  
Fancy Macaroons, doz...25c  
Leaflets, doz...12c  
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## MAN OF 73 MAKES 600 MILE TRIP

CAPT. ARTHUR MCINNIS OF ST. PETERS SAILS TWENTY-TWO FOOT SLOOP

GLOUCESTER, Sept. 19.—Manned only by Capt. Arthur McInnis of St. Peters, Cape Breton, 73 years old, one-time fisherman captain of this port, and Michael Fogarty of Canso, Nova Scotia, 66 years old, the 22-foot sloop Lily May arrived here yesterday morning from St. Peters, after a successful voyage of 600 miles.

Capt. McInnis sailed the vessel alone from his home in St. Peters to Canso. There he picked up Fogarty and the two men headed for the sloop here. They slept and ate aboard during the entire voyage. The old fishermen will remain here a few days and then start on another voyage.

The sloop is not equipped with any motor auxiliary.

### MISTOOK PATROL FOR JIFFY

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 19.—In the municipal court yesterday Judge Caplin imposed a fine of \$50 and costs of \$250 on Joseph McDonald, a member of the Coast Artillery corps from Lowell, who was charged with breaking down young trees on Junkins avenue.

Word was sent to the police station about the pranks of McDonald and two companions, Arthur Caplin, Smart ordered Officers McLean and Mulholland with the police patrol to investigate. On the arrival of the patrol the men mistook it for a funny and hauled it for a ride, which they got, to the police station.

### RECORD AUTO TRIP

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A new record for a coast to coast automobile trip was claimed by C. H. Vincent, who arrived here yesterday in a machine which has been driven from San Francisco to New York was made in 5 days, 3 hours and 21 minutes, breaking the record made by S. R. Stevens of 5 days, 18 hours and 39 minutes. Vincent said that special permits to violate the speed laws were arranged for in several cities.

### GEN. CARRANZA BETTER

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 19.—The draft of a new constitution for Mexico is to be considered immediately by General Carranza, who has recovered from his recent indisposition.

## JUDGE M'INTIRE ILL AT PROBATE COURT

JUDGE LAWTON PRESIDED AT CONTEST ON DOYLE WILL CASE TODAY

The uncontested session of probate court was suspended for more than half an hour this forenoon owing to the sudden illness of Judge McIntire, the presiding justice. So serious was his illness that an attempt was made to secure Judge Lawton, who had just finished a sitting in the contested probate court, but he was not available and Judge McIntire finally returned to the court room after he had been attended by the court officers. It was able to remain during the transaction of the rest of the business.

In the contested session, Judge Lawton presiding, three witnesses were heard when the will of the late Thomas Doyle of this city was offered and contested. In the will Mr. Doyle bequeathed practically all his belongings to William F. Hunt of this city, with whom he lived. This is contested by relatives who it is understood, claim that there was another will which disposed of the money in a different manner. Judge Lawton will issue a decree affirming the will and an appeal will be taken by James F. Owens, attorney for the contestants, J. Gilbert Hill and Hon. Edward Fisher appear for the petitioners.

In the uncontested session the following wills were allowed: Patrick Harrington, Lowell; Martha J. Nutt, Lowell; Elizabeth L. Kimball, Lowell; Patrick Murphy, Lowell.

### ADMINISTRATIONS

Administrations were granted as follows: Nellie Rundlett, Lowell; John Elynn, Lowell; Abdullah Hassan, Lowell; Nellie J. Bozovitis, Detroit, Mich.; Frank McKee, Lowell; Margaret A. Peigham, Lowell; Anthony P. Hogan, Lowell.

### FRED THOMPSON EXHUMED

Body of Jack Hurwitz, Drowned in Vineyard Sound, Placed in Same Grave at Brockton

BROCKTON, Sept. 19.—The body of Fred Thompson of 45 Utica street, Boston, who was drowned with Jack Hurwitz in the swimming race from Frambooth to Oak Bluffs on Labor day, was removed from Pride of Brockton cemetery yesterday afternoon, a few hours before the body of Hurwitz was

## Miserable From Stomach Trouble

Felt Wretched Until He Started To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

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"For two years, I was a miserable sufferer from RHEUMATISM AND STOMACH TROUBLE. I had frequent DIZZY SPIGLES, and when I took food, felt wretched and sleepy. I suffered from rheumatism dreadfully, with pains in my back and joints, and my hands swollen.

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lowered in the same grave. Thompson's body was claimed by relatives.

The body of Thompson was buried with a Jewish service last Thursday, but later it was discovered that the body was not that of Hurwitz, as the latter's body was found the following day. The burial of Hurwitz's body yesterday afternoon was in accordance with the Jewish faith, Rabbi Meyer Fine officiating.

## UNITED STATES IS NOW THE LENDER TO EUROPE

DOLLAR DISPLACING POUND AS STANDARD—CAN AMERICA RETAIN FINANCIAL LEADERSHIP?

PARIS, Sept. 19.—Max Hoeschiller, in an article in the Temps yesterday, contrasts America's financial position now in respect to foreign countries with what it was before the war. The article says:

"Then the United States was sending to Europe from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 in interest on its borrowings, \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 spent by tourists, \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000 to expatriates and \$20,000,000 to \$40,000,000 in ocean freights.

"Since the war the United States has imported \$700,000,000 in gold and has paid back a considerable amount of its previous borrowings. Increased its foreign trade by \$2,500,000,000 yearly and loaned to foreign countries \$1,470,000,000, so that the dollar now has replaced to a considerable extent the old sovereignty of the English pound abroad.

"Whether the United States will remain with her deficient financial organization the position recently won

## HEAD OF "COXEY'S ARMY" WANTS TO BE SENATOR

JACOB S. COXEY, OF MASSILLON FILES PAPERS AS INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE



Photo by American Press Association

Jacob S. Coxe of Massillon, O., who more than 25 years ago led "Coxey's Army" of unemployed men on a march to Washington, filed papers with the secretary of state as an independent candidate for United States senator in 1916. He is 65 years old, single, and has been in the employ of the National Trust Co. for many years. He was the close of the first trip which began at Massillon, O., five weeks before it ended at the story of the capital of the United States in Washington. The soldiers of the army were then sent to the front and all sorts of things for them. When they returned it was a party to march into the capital and they were clubbed back by police. In May, 1913, he attempted another march. He reached the capital, but only with about nine men.



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will depend upon American financial and commercial policies. The arrival in France of an American commercial mission is an indication that Americans are realizing they must follow the law of exchanges between countries, buying in general as much as they sell.

## WOMAN'S BODY FOUND ON COUCH IN BASEMENT

BOSTON POLICE INVESTIGATING POSSIBLE CASE OF MURDER OF MRS. JUSTIN

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—A possible case of murder in which the victim was Mrs. Belle Justin, was being investigated by the police of the South End district today. The woman's body was found on a couch in the basement of her home, with a cut over the left eye. Indications, according to Police Captain Driscoll, pointed to violence as the cause of death. Pending an autopsy by Medical Examiner Leary, three other inmates of the house were detained by the police.

### HIS REASON FOR SUICIDE

J. H. WILLIS OF WHITMAN Wrote He Could Not Bear Separation From Children

BROCKTON, Sept. 19.—The marriage last month of Ivan R. Chandler of Plymouth to Mrs. Wilhelmina Willis, whose husband, James H. Willis, of Whitman, shot himself last April after killing his 3-year-old daughter, has resulted in making public by Willis' sister, Mrs. Milton Thayer of this city, of a letter Willis wrote his mother just before he killed himself.

Willis took his life the day before his sister was required in the superior court at Plymouth. His wife having instituted divorce action. In his letter Willis told his mother he could not stand being away from his children and did not want his little daughter to suffer the disgrace. To a sister he gave \$100.

Also, Chandler lost her suit for the \$1000 and her suit for the furniture, given by her husband to his sister, is waiting trial.

### BRITISH MAKES PROTEST

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—A protest against the German military authorities attempting to force a loan of \$100,000,000 from the Belgian banks, and that M. Currier, director of the National Bank of Belgium has been imprisoned because of his refusal to consent to the proposal, was filed at the state department yesterday by the Belgian legation.

In a statement the legation declared that its action was in the information concerning the seizure by the Germans of private capital in Belgium banks and show at the same time the utter contempt in which the German government holds the international laws and the inviolability of private property.

### DOMESTIC MONEY ORDER SYSTEM

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The domestic money order system of the postoffice department, which went into operation November 1, 1915, issued orders aggregating \$64,000,000 last year. The national money order first issued October 15, 1915, aggregated \$64,775,000 last year, a decrease of \$14,000,000 from the year before.

### SCOTISH RITE FREE MASONRY

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 19.—The 10th annual meeting of the supreme council of the Scottish Rite Free Masonry, held at the Hotel Hamilton, was formally opened here today.

### MINIMUM WAGE PRINCIPLE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The minimum wage principle was not defended and attacked today by advocates before the United States conference of Catholic clergies.

Such a subject for discussion today was that of the "minimum wage" which was the subject of a paper by Father J. H. McLaughlin, of the University of Notre Dame, La Jolla, Cal.

### NOTICE!

Members of the Lowell Sun No. 10, V. O. of the American Legion, to be present at the annual convention of the American Legion, held at the Hotel Hamilton, Boston, Sept. 20-21-22, 1916. For further information, apply to the secretary, NELS NELSON, Secretary.

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30c	3.00	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00
35c	3.50	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50
40c	4.00	4.50	5.00	5.50	6.00
45c	4.50	5.00	5.50	6.00	6.50
50c	5.00	5.50	6.00	6.50	7.00
55c	5.50	6.00	6.50	7.00	7.50
60c	6.00	6.50	7.00	7.50	8.00
65c	6.50	7.00	7.50	8.00	8.50
70c	7.00	7.50	8.00	8.50	9.00
75c	7.50	8.00	8.50	9.00	9.50
80c	8.00	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.00
85c	8.50	9.00	9.50	10.00	10.50

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## THE FRENCH MAID SAYS

MAKING COLD CREAM AT HOME

In compounding cold creams at home it is essential that you understand how to mix the different ingredients or they will be ruined. Use a china or glass bowl for mixing and when fats are to be melted place them in a small receptacle which should be immersed in a larger vessel filled with boiling water. The fats are removed as soon as they have melted. If allowed to become hot they will never congeal.

When oil is to be added you may find it necessary to return the fats to the water. If the cold liquid hardens them. The secret of successful cold cream lies in keeping the congealing process delayed until all ingredients are mixed. To stir the creams use a bone or wood spoon. When finished pack in glass or china jar.

This nourishing cream is fine. Spermaceti, six drams; oil of sweet almonds, four ounces; white wax, six drams; borax, two drams; glycerine, one and one-half ounces; orange water, two ounces; oil of neroli, fifteen drops; oil of bigarade (orange skin) fifteen drops; oil of pimento, fifteen drops. Melt the first three ingredients, add the glycerine to the orange flower water and dissolve the borax in the mixture then pour slowly into the blended fats stirring constantly. Beat the mixture until it congeals and pack in jars.

When the skin is inclined to wrinkle, make an astringent lotion of: Almond milk, two ounces, alum (powdered), sixty grains; apply this to the skin with a piece of absorbent cotton before retiring. Toilet lotions based on benzoin are favorites with many women. For their preparation use a strong astringent and bleaching qualities. The simple tincture of benzoin should be purchased and to make a lotion for the face and hands use: simple tincture of benzoin, two ounces, glycerine, two ounces.

## TO BUILD A \$1,250,000 MUNITIONS PLANT

ARMIS PLANT AT ROCK ISLAND ARSENAL TO RE-OPEN ON NEXT MONDAY

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Sept. 19.—The small arms plant at the Rock Island arsenal is to reopen next Monday to manufacture rifles after lying idle for four years. Eight hundred persons will be employed. Plans for the \$1,250,000 munitions plant are being prepared and it is hoped to begin actual work on the buildings this year.

### MUST HAVE PERMIT

Campaign Speakers Cannot Have Steps of Boston Public Buildings Otherwise, Mayor Curley Says

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—No political speeches or any other oratorical efforts from the steps of city hall annex or any other city building will be permitted in the future, unless the speaker has a permit from the city. Mayor Curley announced last night.

The mayor's statement followed newspaper reports of a rally held at noon on the steps at the Court street entrance of the city hall annex by Frederick W. Macgregal, one of the candidates for the democratic nomination for governor. Apparently Mr. Macgregal stood a search on the city officials for a permit to use the annex. He had no permit to speak from that spot.

The mayor said: "If a man speaks without a permit on the steps of city hall annex or any other public building, the only thing he does is to call a policeman. No permit was issued to Mr. Macgregal to speak at city hall annex today and I knew nothing of the rally until after it had returned from lunch. I have taken steps so that such meetings shall not be held there or at any other public building in the future and I have notified the power to instruct the Bureau of Buildings to deny to allow such meetings in the future."

### LIFE INSURANCE COURSES

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Sept. 19.—The introduction of courses in life insurance in colleges was characterized as significant by Hugh M. Willett of Atlantic City today made his report to the national convention of life underwriters on the work of committee on education and conservation.

Seventy educational institutions, said Mr. Willett, have courses in life insurance and hundreds of young men who have taken these courses have become successful life insurance salesmen.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## 100 RIFLES WERE BURIED UNDER THE FLOOR

DISCOVERY MADE BY WRECKERS DEMOLISHING OLD HOTEL AT NEW ORLEANS

NEW ORLEANS, La., Sept. 19.—Wreckers demolishing the old St. Louis hotel, one of the famous landmarks in the French quarter of New Orleans, have unearthed a hundred rifles buried under the floor. The rifles are believed to have been placed there during the reconstruction troubles in 1871 when the building was occupied as the state hospital under the administration of Governor Kellogg.

### TROOPS NOT COMING HOME

General Pearson is preparing the armories for the return of the troops from the Mexican border although no time is yet fixed for the return. Armies are not expected to be ready to return until the November election. Blanks are sent on authorizing payment of the \$50 monthly to the families of soldiers. All the officers of the Sixth regiment have been mustered out of the federal service and have returned from Camp Urdaneta.

### ON MACEDONIAN FRONT

LONDON, Sept. 19.—"On Sunday night our planes cast 600 lb. bombs on the Macedonian front," says today's official report of the campaign on the Macedonian front. "The enemy camp at Prosenik was bombed on Sunday by our aircraft, apparently with successful results. There were no developments on the Balkan front."

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Women's Drawers and Corset Covers, lace and hamburger trimmed; regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....29c

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Women's Pure Silk Thread Hose, in black with white checks and white with black checks, in fashioned and seamless. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day 55c a Pair

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, black only. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....29c a Pair

Women's Sample Hose, black, white and a few colors. Regular value 15c and 19c. Pennant Day.....10c a Pair

Children's Silk Lisle Hose, in black only, sizes 6 to 8, subject to very slight imperfections. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....15c a Pair

Children's Cotton Ribbed Hose, sample line of 15c and 19c quality, black and white, while they last. Pennant Day.....10c a Pair

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- 1—Goods must be priced 25 to 50 per cent lower than they can be bought elsewhere.
- 2—The prices are the lowest of the month.
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Children's Drawers, made of good cotton, lace and hamburger trimmed. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....2 Pairs for 23c

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Long White Petticoats, hamburger trimmed. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....23c

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Children's Middy Blouses and Skirts to match. Regular value 79c. Pennant Day.....49c

Colored Striped Sport Middy Blouses. Regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day.....69c

Women's White and Colored Sport Skirts. Regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day.....69c

Women's Wool Sweaters. Regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day \$1.00

## Handkerchief Dept.

Men's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, banded and soft finish; regular value 5c. Pennant Day, 3 for 11c

Women's Plain Handkerchiefs, soft finish; regular value 5c each. Pennant Day.....6 for 25c

Men's Tape Border Handkerchiefs, large size; regular value 5c each. Pennant Day.....7 for 25c

Women's Tape Handkerchiefs, ready to use; regular value 5c. Pennant Day.....7 for 25c

## Women's Neckwear

Muslin Vestees, with back and roll collar; regular value 39c. Pennant Day.....21c

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An Odd Lot of Collars in high or low necks, slightly soiled; regular value 25c and 39c. Pennant Day.....5c Each

Plain Hemstitched Collar and Cuff Sets; regular value 59c. Pennant Day.....47c

Oriental Lace Vestees, with stand-up collar; regular value 59c. Pennant Day.....47c

## JEWELRY DEPT.

Leather Fob Chains with gray silver and gilt chains and buckles; regular 25c and 35c value. Pennant Day.....19c

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Fancy Beaded Bags with chain handles; regular \$1.50 value. Pennant Day.....89c

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Moire Silk Hand Bags with inside fitting of mirror, change purse and pocket; regular \$1.98 value. Pennant Day.....\$1.00

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## MEN'S CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Pants in blue and black serges, also fancy gray stripes, heavy woolens; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.19

Men's Mouse Color Corduroy Pants, finished with cuffs or plain bottoms, belt loops, hip straps; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.00

Men's Top Coats in fancy mixtures only, some are rainproof, plain or patch pockets, most all sizes; regular value \$10.00 and \$15.00. Pennant Day.....\$7.75

Students' Bags in black leatherette, size 14 in., will wear well; regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day.....79c

Men's Raincoats in tan shades, double texture, well stitched and completed, all sizes to 44 breast; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.98

Men's Suits in light and heavy weight, all sizes to 46 stout, also long to 42, not all sizes of one pattern; regular value \$15.00. Pennant Day.....\$10.75

## DAYLIGHT BASEMENT

Men's Pants in dark blue serges, also dark gray stripes worsted, 29 to 42 waist; regular value \$2.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.79

Men's Blue Serge Suits in fine twill with plain or patch pockets; regular value \$9.00. Pennant Day.....\$5.50

Men's Pants in dark gray stripes and good fall weight; regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day \$1.19

Men's Suits in dark stripes and mixtures, in good fall weight and tailored strong, a real good work suit; regular value \$7.50 and \$9.00. Pennant Day.....\$5.00

Young Men's School Suits in the latest (pinch) belted back, in dark fancy browns, sizes 34 to 38 only, pants finished with cuffs; regular value \$12.00. Pennant Day.....\$8.00

## CORSET DEPT.

Corsets, broken sizes. Regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day.....85c

Corsets, broken sizes. Regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.15

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Brassieres, hamburger and lace trimmed. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....21c

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Men's Endicott, Johnson Work Shoes in black and tan serviceable leathers. Regular \$2.50 values. Pennant Day.....\$1.87

Boys' School Shoes in all sizes up to 1-2, satin calf, kangaroo and scotch grain; regular value \$1.75 and \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.37

Boys' School Shoes, gun metal, calfskin, blucher, medium and heavy weight, also Scout Shoes; regular value \$2.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.89

Women's Fall Boots, gun metal, patent, colt and vicid kid, lace and button boots, in all sizes, from 2 to 8; regular value \$3.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.45

Women's Kid Slippers, soft kid, turned sole with one or two straps; regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day.....95c

Women's Shoes, odd lot of lace and button boots, in sizes from 2 to 5 only; regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Pennant Day.....98c

Women's Low Cut Shoes, 150 pairs, odd pairs and shop worn; regular value 50c and \$1.50—to close out—Pennant Day.....35c

Infants' Soft Sole Shoes in black, white and combination colors, sizes 0 to 4; regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....10c

168 Pairs of Low Cut Summer Shoes in a good assortment of sizes; regular value 75c to \$1.25. Pennant Day.....50c

Girls' School Shoes in gun metal, patent and kidskin, button and blucher style, all sizes up to 6; regular value \$1.75 and \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.35

Boys' and Girls' Black and Tan Sneakers in mostly all sizes; regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....29c

## WOMEN'S KNIT UNDERWEAR DEPT.

Women's Silk Lisle Union Suits, loose knee, tight knee and ankle length, low neck, short sleeves, low neck, no sleeves, broken sizes. Regular value \$1.00 and \$1.25. Pennant Day.....50c

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, loose knee, all sizes. Regular value 25c and 35c. Pennant Day.....13c, 2 for 25c

Women's Jersey Vests, high neck, short sleeves, sizes 35 only. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....12 1/2c

Children's Light Weight Jersey Ribbed Pants, in all sizes. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day 10c

## INFANTS' DEPT.

Children's Gingham Dresses, in checks only, sizes 2 to 8 years. Regular value 60c. Pennant Day.....33c

Girls' Gingham Dresses, in plaids, stripes and combination colors, in sizes 8, 10 and 12 years. Regular value \$1.19. Pennant Day 88c

Girls' White Petticoats, lace or hamburger trimmed, sizes 1 to 11 years. Regular value 60c. Pennant Day.....39c

Infants' All Silk Vests, in sizes 6 months to 4 years. Regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day.....69c

Infants' Black Cashmere Hose, in sizes 4 to 6 years. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....12 1/2c

Infants' Lisle Hose, in pink, blue, white and black, sizes 3 to 5 years. Regular value 12 1/2c. Pennant Day.....2 Pairs for 15c

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS DEPT.

Men's Shirts in plaids and checks, broken sizes, made soft cuffs, coat style. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day.....50c

Men's Flannel Shirts in green, brown and navy, in all sizes, cut big and long. Congress make. Regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.00

Men's Heavy Weight Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, close croch, sizes 35 to 42. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....39c

Men's Worsted Sweaters, crimson, navy, black, oxford and duck gray, brown and green. V neck. Regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.00

Men's Half Hose in black and white, with double heel, sole and toe. Regular value 12 1/2c. Pennant Day.....4 Pairs for 25c

Men's White Canvas Gloves, with or without wrist. Regular value 10c. Pennant Day.....5c, 6 for 25c

Boys' Heavy Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, with close croch, all sizes. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day 37 1/2c

## Men's Furnishings

Men's Heavy Domel Pajamas with silk frogs, cut big and long, all sizes. Regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.00

Men's Heavy Domel Night Shirts, either with or without collar, all sizes. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day.....75c

Men's Two Thread Pure Silk Half Hose, double heel, sole and toe, in black only. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day 29c or 4 pairs for \$1

Men's Shawknit Half Hose, in casimere, discontinued number, all sizes. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day 14c, 2 pairs for 25c

Men's Silk Four-in-Hand Ties, either open or reversible, in all the newest coloring, very large assortment. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day.....12 1/2c

Men's All Wool Sweaters, in all colors, these are shaker knit. Regular value \$5.00. Pennant Day \$4.00

Men's Medium Weight Jersey Union Suits, in short sleeves, either regular or stout sizes. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day 69c, 3 for \$2.00

## KITCHEN WARE DEPT.

Inverted Gas Burners, Welshach' mantle and 1/2 frosted globe complete. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day.....29c

Inverted or Upright Mantles. Regular value 10c. Pennant Day, 5c

Wear Ever Brand Double Lipped Saucepans, 3 1/2 qt. size. Regular value 98c. Pennant Day.....69c

Earthenware Tea Pots. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day 10c Each

Cut Glass Tumbler. Regular value 10c. Pennant Day.....5c Each

Footed Sherbet Glasses. Regular value 10c. Pennant Day 5c Each

Oval Glass Trays. Regular value 10c. Pennant Day.....5c Each

Cut Glass Sugar and Cream Sets. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day 15c a Set

## BOYS' CLOTHING DEPT.



BASEBALL AND  
FIELD SPORTS

## THE SUN SPORTING PAGE

BOXING, GOLF  
AND ATHLETICSLAJOIE NEVER ON  
A PENNANT  
WINNER

Larry Lajoie, once king of second basemen, has never finished a season with a championship team. "I've been up here for a long, long time," said Larry, "but I never have played with a pennant winner. The breaks were always against me."

The breaks, indeed, were against the veteran Frenchman, who has so heroically resisted the hand of time. Always a great player himself—one of the greatest, in fact, who ever trod the diamond, he never has played on a team that won a championship. Other men, mere surpluses, have leaped into series, but he labored in the ranks.

## Nearly Won, Once

Larry's dream of empire almost was realized in 1908, when he led the old Naps right down to the last day of the season, fighting a grim battle with the Detroit Tigers, but the Naps lost the deciding game, and the Tigers met the Cubs for the world's championship.

That the Naps finished so well in that race was due largely to the fact that Lajoie had the good fortune to escape injury throughout the season. He took chances on the diamond, playing hard to win at all times, but fortune smiled for a change, and he was able to remain in his position throughout the 157 games the team played. His marvelous fielding skill and his hard, timely hitting won many a game.

In 1905 the pennant was conceded to the Naps before the season opened, and they dashed away to an early lead, only to be cut down by injuries and slump away to fifth place, while the Athletics dashed ahead and met the Giants. The year following the Naps went out again, but more men were hurt, and then the White Sox won 19 consecutive games and proceeded to capture the pennant. So it went with Larry. A member of great teams, he never won.

Now he has come to the end of his career. The trail is narrowing, and beset with many obstacles. The sport has left him the keenness of vision, and grounders are sliding past him now where once he cut them down with ruthless skill. The throws he beat by a full step to the bag are nipping him at the bag now. Larry is old, and the step down the line for some of the striplings who play beside him. He is ready to yield his place to boys who were in swaddling clothes when the name of the great Frenchman rang from the lips of their fathers 20 years ago.

## Made Plays Look Easy

The history of baseball never will be complete until a full chapter has been written of the deeds of Lajoie. He always will be spoken of as perhaps the most graceful of all fielders, a fielder whose skill was developed the same as he made the most difficult plays look easy. No drive ever was too hot for Larry to cut it down, and he had the ability to move in any direction to make a play. Working to right or left, coming in from the batters' line, or backing to judge the hops of a rocketing bouncer, he was perfection itself.

In 20 years of major league baseball Lajoie boasts the grand batting average of .342. Once he rose well above the .400 mark. That was in 1901, in the first year of the American league's existence, when he played with the Athletics, and hit .422. On numerous occasions he provided the .400 mark pretty closely. In 1897 he piled up a mark of .363, in 1899 he had a mark of .375, and in 1900, his last year with the National league, playing with the old Phillies, he tapped the ball for .316.

## Traded to Cleveland

In 1902, when he was traded to the Cleveland team for strategical reasons, Larry found the pitching to his liking and batted it at a .363 clip. Then followed averages of .355 and .381 in 1903 and 1904, and 1912 it was .355, and 1910, 1911 and 1912 it was .361, .365 and .368. In 1912 the Frenchman piled up his last .300 mark, hitting .315.

Lajoie came to the major leagues from the Fall River City league in 1894 and joined the Phillies. He remained there until the war between the National and American leagues broke out in 1901. Offered a salary about double that which he received from the Phillies, Lajoie lost no time in jumping along with the various other stars of the National league.

A. J. Reach, president of the Phillies, did not welcome the defection of his star, and carried the matter into the courts. He got an injunction restraining Lajoie from playing baseball in the state of Pennsylvania with any other team than the Philadelphia National League club. It was to defeat this injunction and make the best use of Lajoie for the league that Naps was traded to the Indians in 1902. Later of course, the injunction was dissolved, and Lajoie joined with the Naps in Pennsylvania and elsewhere.

It was not until 1913 that Larry left the Cleveland team, returning to the Athletics during the winter. He began the season of 1915 with the Mackmen, taking the place of Eddie Collins. For the strike he was a season's absence of his services, a season's scorn of his looks, waiting for the final call of time.

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THE WHITE SOX  
LOOK GOOD TO  
MANY FANS

The Boston Red Sox were finally yanked off their top perch, but the American league remains as much a puzzle as before. The odds are all with the western teams now. They are playing at home, and their Athletics series may be counted as so many soft games won. Connie Mack's record still is one game won in the west this season.

Like their National league rivals, the Red Sox constitute a game team, though not as much of a bunch of fighters as the Braves, Lewis Hooper, Carrigan, Gardner, Gaby and Thomas, are hardened warriors who have gone through two pennant grinds, in both 1912 and 1915, while most of the other members of the team, including the pitching staff, were members of last season's world's championship club.

Of late the attack of the Red Sox seems to have grown much stronger, and the team is getting many more runs, but the pitchers are no longer holding up their ends. The work of Dutch Leonard has been especially disappointing since he pitched his recent no hit game.

To National league followers the White Sox look like the best team in the American league, and they expect to see Comiskey's bunch cross their pennant winner in the world's series. No one tries to deny that individually the White Sox have the greatest team in the league. They have a much stronger offense than Boston, and their pitching is much better than that of the Tigers. For one thing, Collins, by batting about 400 for two months, has raised his average from .250 to .365, and Eddie Collins, 350 is a different player from the Collins who was hitting around .240 early in the season.

AMERICAN LEAGUE RACE  
HAS SHIFTED 25 TIMESEVERY CLUB BUT ATHLETICS  
HAS BEEN AT TOP SINCE THE  
SEASON OPENED

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Every team in the American league, with the single exception of the Athletics, has led the procession this season. Beginning with April 14, when the Red Sox, Browns and Senators were in a top tie, the lead has shifted on 25 occasions. The Red Sox, who are back in front this morning, held first place for the longest stretch of time, a period of 43 days, extending from Aug. 9 to Sept. 16, inclusive. Cleveland stayed out in front for the next longest period, 27 days, from June 3 to June 23, inclusive, though on one day of the stretch, June 21, the Indians shared premier honors with the Tigers. Here are the changes:

April 14—Red Sox, St. Louis and Washington.  
April 15—Red Sox.  
April 16—New York.  
April 20—Red Sox.  
April 21—Red Sox and New York.  
April 22—New York.  
April 24—Red Sox.  
April 30—Red Sox and Detroit.  
May 2—Washington.  
May 6—Cleveland.  
May 27—Washington.  
May 31—Washington and Cleveland.  
June 1—Cleveland.  
June 2—Washington.  
June 3—Cleveland.  
June 21—Cleveland and Detroit.  
June 22—Cleveland.  
June 23—New York.  
July 12—Cleveland.  
July 13—New York.  
July 21—Cleveland.  
Aug. 9—Red Sox.  
Sept. 10—Detroit.  
Sept. 18—Red Sox.

## A REPLY

Sporting Editor, Lowell Sun: Kindly allow me a little space in your sporting column to correct the statement of the Mystery manager in which he alleges that his nine has challenged the Ottawas for two months but without results. For some time past I have been a frequent caller at the Mystery club rooms, trying to arrange a game for a purse on neutral grounds, but have always been given this much abused excuse of "coming down on our grounds and we will play your team."

A poor excuse for an ambitious baseball team. Do you really want a game, Mr. Walsh, or do you like to see your name in print, or can it be that you have a baseball almanac at home that you wish to have filled in, so that some day your son, with chest expanded, can boast thusly, "My father was a great baseball manager. If you don't believe it, I will show you his almanac, which he has at home, entitled 'Career of James Walsh, Manager of Mystery Team, Year 1916.'"

Lowell Hamer,  
Manager, Ottawas.

## McMANIS BEATS McRAE

GLOUCESTER, Sept. 18.—Frank McManis of Salem won a 12-round decision over Howard McRae of Gloucester at the Lenox A. C. last night. Pat Owens of Cambridge and Tony Nathan of Brighton fought an exciting round draw, and the Syrian Kid, who had knocked out Bert Allen of Gloucester in three rounds.

LAWN BOWLING SEEMS TO HAVE  
TAKEN FIRM HOLD ON EASTERNERS

BROOKLYN, Sept. 18.—Lawn bowling seems to have taken a firm hold on the people of this section during the past few months. Every clear Saturday and Sunday hundreds of enthusiasts can be seen enjoying themselves on the different courts. Tournaments are held weekly and are watched

## DIAMOND DAZZLES

The Red Sox president says the reason he didn't draft anyone was because he did not consider there were any worthy youngsters in the minors.

Helmie Wagner and Del Gainer drew three days' suspension for being too noisy yesterday.

Duffy Lewis batted for 1000 yesterday, drawing out two doubles and two singles in four times up.

It was not very long ago that Ernie Shore pitched the first game of the season in a similar manner.

The Giants kept their winning streak intact, winning the first game of the double header from Pittsburgh, 2 to 0, for the 12th straight victory. The record game resulted in a 1 to 1 tie.

The Boston National League club has cancelled the draft on Outfielder McCandless of the Dallas club of the Texas league. McCandless is one of the three rookies claimed by George Stallings and Percy Haughton recently.

A queer story comes from out of the camp of the New York Giants. It is that whatever the situation in the game John McGraw has told Benny Kauff he must hunt at least twice every day. Doubtless Kauff thinks it is part of a conspiracy to keep him from bursting all slugging records, but McGraw says it is part of a plan to teach Benny how to bat.

Umpire Westervelt of the International league says that Fenwick, the Buffalo pitcher now with the Red Sox, has the widest range of curves he has ever seen and that no umpire should pronounce a strike or a ball from his hurling hand. The show isn't over until the ball has settled into the catcher's mitt, and even then the umpire is sometimes so abrupt that you can't tell whether it is a ball or a strike.

There were some good pitching exhibitions yesterday. George T. held St. Louis to three strikes; Schupp of the Giants allowed Pittsburgh but three hits in the first game, and Grimes, Pittsburgh, gave New York a similar number in the second. Movers, the Mackman, was found for but three hits by Detroit and Thomas, a Washington territorial, shut out St. Louis on two hits.

Pitcher Stanley Coveleski has left Cleveland for his home in Shamokin, Penn., and will not pitch any more this year. He has been in poor health for six weeks.

Al Nixon, the Texas youngster, has reported to Brooklyn. He is said to have hit the ball over the fences very frequently and there are no smart fences in that league.

Bobby Veach continues to pound the ball unmercifully. The hard slugger, known as the leading one in the Jugmen's attack, and Veach never gets the credit due him.

McClure, the youthful infielder now being given a thorough trial by the Mackmen, bears all the earmarks of becoming a fine player. He is hitting well besides putting up a wonderful fielding game.

Charlie Pichous, the Cubs' young third sacker, is just 20 years old. He looks like a coming ball player. He is a native of the Windy City and had his last major league engagement with the Chicago Cubs.

Betzel of the Cards has surprised N. L. partisans of the Mount City by his consistent playing this year. The little

the Crescent Athletic club, there are at least 10 lawn bowling clubs in this section at the present time, and he club of Brooklyn was held on the Crescent Athletic club grounds, and, judging by the interest taken in the match, there will be many more held before the cold weather sets in. According to one of the club officials at

what may. Scott is to be taught a lesson. He will be kept under suspension during the remainder of the season, and if the White Sox should get into the world series Scott probably will get no share of the players' money.

If the Phils fail to cop in the National it may be attributed, in small measure, to the dismal batting downfall of one Cactus Cravath. Gavvy has had pretty hard sledding this year, although his working during the past few days has been a vast improvement.

Notwithstanding that it finished many names behind the leader in the pennant race, Worcester landed the team batting championship of the Eastern league this season. The Boosters sport an average of .265 and lead Portland, their nearest rival by 15 points. The champion New London club finishes a poor fifth in batting, but carried off the team fielding honors for the season. The Champs have a fielding average of .963.

## GLADS WIN AT BOWLING

In the beginning of a series of bowling matches bowled by the Upmors and Grads of the powder house department of the Newton Mfg. Co. on Monday night, the latter were defeated by the small margin of 45 pins. The summary:

Uppers	2	3	TOTAL
Molloy	81	74	155
Keefe	84	80	164
Achlin	85	80	165
McLaughlin	88	77	165
Beauchamp	88	77	165
Silk	97	68	165
T. Doyle	92	73	165
Totals	610	569	1179

Grads	88	85	173
Held	88	85	173
Stranlon	88	85	173
Means	88	85	173
Quinn	88	85	173
Clark	88	85	173
Ford	88	85	173
A. Doyle	88	85	173
Totals	651	614	1265

## SCOTT'S SUSPENSION

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REAL LADY ONLY  
FAVORITE TO  
WIN AT RACES

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 19.—Three of the four favorites in yesterday afternoon's opening races of the Columbus Grand circuit meeting were from the Murphy stable.

Only the most pronounced, the Real Lady, was successful. She took the horse review Futurity for two-year-old trotters in straight heats, getting no real opposition from even Emma Mackown, that was twice second.

Don Macdonald, the Indianapolis driver, had in charge the horses that defeated the other Murphy first choices. Miss Harris M won the King stake for pacers. She was a strong second horse to Roan Hall, that was four times second. The first heat was won away from him by Sayde Denmore, fresh from the Great Western circuit. The summary:

## 2-11 class trotting, 3 in 5; purse, \$1200:

McCloskey, br g, by Theodo-	1	1	1
Virginia Barnett, b m, Purfice	2	3	5
Pittsburg, ch g, Murphy	4	11	2
Empress of Russia, ch m, Mur-	5	11	2
Ray	6	2	11
Pick Wagon, br g, Murphy	7	11	2
B. C. by Childs	8	6	10
Emma Mackown, br f, Murray	11	10	4
Henry Todd, br, Lasall	8	5	7
Jack K, ch g, Gray	9	6	6
Highly, ch m, Garrison	7	8	8
The Tuffler, br, Stinson	12	7	5
George N. Patterson, br h	9	12	12
Rutherford	2	11	2
Time: 2:04, 2:05, 2:11			

## Horse Review Futurity, 2-year-old

trotters, 2 in 3; purse, \$3000:			
The Real Lady, br f, by Meko,	1	1	1
Miss Harris M, br m, by Peter	5	1	1
Sayde Denmore, ch m	3	3	3
Thomas	1	3	3
Roan Hall, br m, Murray	2	2	2
The Famous, br m, Jackson	3	1	2
Goldie C, br m, Valentine	7	4	4
Harlight, br g, Mann	4	6	7
The Beaver, br m, Fleming	6	7	8
Wesley Vale, ch m, McDonald	5	6	4
Harvest Gal, br f, Cox	8	5	5
E. Colorado, br, Geers	7	8	8
Reider DeForest, br, Snow	8	8	8
Time: 2:07, 2:11			

## King stake, 208 pacers, 3 in 5; purse

\$3000:			
Miss Harris M, br m, by Peter	5	1	1
The Great, McDonald	1	1	1
Sayde Denmore, ch m	3	3	3
Thomas	1	3	3
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Time: 2:04, 2:05, 2:05, 2:06			

## 2-11 class pacing, 3 in 5; purse, \$1200:

Little Paul, br m, by Little	1	1	1
Frank Valentine	12	1	1
Queen Hall, ro m, by Gold	1	1	1
Ed. McPherson	1	7	10
Spring Maid, ch m, Cox	4	3	3
Darwin Wood, blk h	11	2	2
Fleming	14	2	12
Gertrude Alcantara, br m	2	11	6
Whitcomb	2	11	6
Thomas, br h, Todd	11	2	2
D. M. br g, Bell	1	5	3
Colonel R, ch g, Stokes	6	4	6
Horace McKerron, ch h	11	10	9
Laddie, br, Wadsworth	3	13	5
Rita Jay, br m, O'Brien	12	8	7
Major A, br, Crossman	13	12	11
Ed King, blk h, Emerson	13	12	11
Ed Connor, blk h, Childs	10	5	10
Willis Woodland, blk, Her-	10	5	10
Time: 2:07, 2:07, 2:10, 2:07			

## GAMES TOMORROW

American League			
Boston at Detroit			
New York at St. Louis			
Philadelphia at Chicago			
Washington at Cleveland			
National League			
Cincinnati at Boston			
St. Louis at Brooklyn			
Chicago at New York			
Pittsburg at Philadelphia			

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# RIVER PROBLEM AGAIN --GEN. BLACK OBJECTS

HE WANTS PROOF THAT LARGE COAL USERS WANT THE RIVER MADE NAVIGABLE

Unless the coal users of the Merrimack valley come out strongly for the navigation of the Merrimack river, there is grave danger that the project will be set back many years or doomed to final failure. Although the scheme has the approval of federal engineers, General Black, chief of the engineers of the army, has indicated that without the support of the coal users of the district he will not approve the plans for navigation from Hunt's falls to the sea.

In order to get the opinion of Lowell business men and corporations and to put them on record as being favorable or otherwise, the board of trade has sent the following letter to 50 or more industrial leaders, at the same time making a strong plea that the work be accomplished by the end of the year for lack of Lowell support:

Dear Sir: Last June the board of engineers for rivers and harbors of the United States recommended that "the United States undertake the improvement of the Merrimack river from Black Rock beach (at the mouth of the river) to Hunt's falls (just below Lowell), the cost to be divided between the state and the nation, and an 18-foot channel, complete in four years, to be provided.

The report of the board of engineers, embodying the foregoing recommendations, went to Gen. W. M. Black, chief of engineers, for approval or disapproval. Early this month, Congressman Gardner, Phelan and Rogers, representing the Merrimack valley, had a conference with General Black. He stated that the testimony indicated that the principal saving to valley consumers as a result of a navigable Merrimack would be of great value to the largest consumers of coal, the mills of Lowell and Lawrence; that the testimony indicated little or no interest in Merrimack river navigability on the part of representatives of most of these mills; and that he was reluctant to approve a project involving a very large outlay of money, and presenting many problems of difficulty, concerning which the principal beneficiaries were in general indifferent.

General Black's decision is virtually final, as congress has in recent years made no appropriation for river improvement without the sanction of the chief of engineers. As a practical matter, if General Black disapproves the project at this time, Merrimack river navigation is dead for many years.

The Lowell board of trade has been united in the opinion that a navigable Merrimack would be of great value to Lowell and to every business, house and individual of Lowell. We, officers, have in the last three years expended much effort in the collection and presentation of evidence in support of an 18 foot channel from Hunt's falls to the sea. We are convinced that if General Black's decision is adverse, it will be primarily because of the indifference or opposition of the Lowell and Lawrence mills. We fully realize that each individual has an entire right to his opinion, whether that opinion accords with our own or not. Nevertheless, we believe that in this matter of great public moment, it should be possible, if the projects will, to place the entire responsibility on that failure where it will unquestionably belong.

To this end we respectfully request in answer to the following questions: (1) If you are in favor of Merrimack river navigation substantially as recommended by the board of engineers of the United States army? (2) If you were convinced that coal could be delivered to you at a substantially lower cost as a result of Merrimack river navigation, would you favor the project substantially as recommended by the board of engineers?

We shall be glad to have your views in detail, but as we are sending a similar letter to other corporations of Lowell, large users of coal, we are for purposes of compilation, desirous of a categorical reply, if possible, by the 25th instant, to the two questions above. You will readily understand that General Black, to whom we shall submit our letters and replies, would naturally regard a failure to answer or an indefinite or evasive answer as further evidence of the indifference to which he has already referred.

Robert F. Marden,  
Pres. Lowell Board of Trade.  
John H. Murphy,  
Sec'y Lowell Board of Trade.  
George Bowers,  
Chairman Waterway Committee.  
John Jacob Rogers,  
Vice Chairman Waterway Com.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

# PRES. WILSON REVISITS SCENES OF HIS BOYHOOD

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF HIS SISTER, MRS. HOWE, AT COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 19.—President Wilson, who came here yesterday for the funeral of his only sister, Mrs. Annie E. Howe, left at 6:15 o'clock last evening for the summer white house at Long Branch, N. J. He will arrive at West End, N. J., shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon and go by automobile to Shadow Lawn.

The special train bearing the body and members of the funeral party arrived here shortly before noon. Automobiles took the president and members of his family direct to the First Presbyterian church. At the president's request the city and state officials gave no official recognition to his visit.

In the party were Joseph R. Wilson, the president's brother; John A. Wilson, a cousin; Mrs. Anne Coleman, daughter of Mrs. Howe; George Howe and Wilson Howe, sons; Miss Margaret Wilson, the president's daughter; and Dr. C. T. Grayson.

The last services took place inside an enclosure in the shaded graveyard, where are buried Mrs. Howe's husband, the father and mother of the president, and several other relatives.

All those in Columbia were at half past during the funeral.

After the funeral the president took an automobile ride around Columbia, visiting relatives and places he had known in his boyhood days. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, Miss Margaret Wilson and Dr. Grayson.

When the president's special train pulled out several thousand people thronged the station and stood silent with bared heads. On his ride the president visited Mrs. James Woodrow, an aunt, who welcomed him as "Tommy." Mr. Wilson also called at the Columbia Theological seminary, and was shown the chair and room used by his father as an instructor there. He was told of a plan to name a library planned by the seminary after his father. Afterwards he walked to the house planned and built by his parents and in which he lived for several years. There he talked with four small boys who now live in the house. Dr. Grayson asked one of them if he expected to be president.

"I would not wish anything like that on you," said Mr. Wilson.

The president plans to spend this afternoon and night quietly at Long Branch, and on Wednesday will resume active direction of his campaign plans interrupted by the illness and death of Mrs. Howe.

## PASSED THROUGH WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—President Wilson passed through here early today on route to Long Branch, N. J., from Columbia, S. C., where he attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Annie E. Howe yesterday. The train was to arrive at 2:30 this afternoon at West End, N. J., two miles from Shadow Lawn.

President Wilson expects to plunge actively into campaign plans tomorrow and to be busy engaged until election day. Later this week he will see Chairman McCormick of the democratic national committee and with him map out a program of receptions to delegations at Shadow Lawn and short speaking making trips. His first speech away from Long Branch will be at Baltimore next Monday. Saturday he will speak to at least two delegations at Shadow Lawn.

From now on Mr. Wilson plans to make up for lost time and meet the criticisms of Charles E. Hughes, the republican presidential candidate with attacks of his own. Outside of his speaking up to the present, he has mapped out several points he wants to discuss, including the settlement of the threatened railroad strike, the legislative record of the administration, the Mexican problem and European problems, the record of the republican party and subjects affecting progressives.

## LARGEST LAMB DEAL

Denver Concern Buys \$500,000 Worth in Wyoming and Considering Purchase of More

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., Sept. 19.—Hatcher & Son of Denver have contracted with Rockmasters of this district for \$500,000 worth of lambs, paying \$5.50 a hundredweight, and the animals now are being rounded up preparatory to being shipped to Colorado farms for winter fattening, the shipping beginning Oct. 1. This is the largest lamb deal ever made in Wyoming.

It is also reported that the Denver men contemplate other large purchases which, if the deals go through, will curtail the year's wool crop, in the opinion of local cattlemen, as the animals are to be slaughtered.

# NOVEL SENTENCE Flue of One Cent and Imprisonment of Two Minutes the Punishment Imposed On Levin by Judge Landis

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—A fine of one cent and imprisonment of two minutes in a court room chair was the punishment imposed on Michael Levin by Federal Judge Landis yesterday. Levin, who is 29 years old, had been found guilty of falsifying his age to obtain a postoffice position.

Dance tonight, Highland Hall.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### OPERA HOUSE

Robert H. McLaughlin's unusual and much discussed play, "The Eternal Magdalene" was given its initial performance at the Lowell Opera House last evening before a large audience. The story was such as to hold the interest from start to finish and there were many intense scenes of which the play was richly endowed. This was the first time since the death of her father that the actress, Julia Arthur, had returned to the stage after a long retirement, and it afforded her an opportunity to display her emotional powers to the full. There is a touch of the melodramatic and the usual religious appeal which is injected into plays of this kind, but the leading theme of the drama is the social evil which is discussed more plainly than in many plays that have aroused widespread protest and opposition. True, this frank exposure of the tendency and the sentimental plea for those who live therein is counterbalanced by the obvious "moral lesson," but the moral is not a trite one, but what old fashioned people would call an unblushing discussion of immorality. It is a play of the modern sea, appeal to the heart, and it is a play of two irreconcilable camps, neither of which can get the other's point of view.

Much in "The Eternal Magdalene" is timely and reflects subjects of discussion. There is a timely veiled criticism of Billy Sunday's revival methods, one of the ministers in the play using the very slang phrases that are attributed to the famous revivalist. Those who go to the tabernacle and are told to "be the revivalists" and there are many caustic references to the fat collections that accompany the campaign for souls.

Despite the fact the play is built around Elijah Bradshaw, a "pious citizen" who has strong views about the red light district and who finances a campaign for its eradication. He is most severe in his judgment and merciless in his condemnation, but misfortune comes to him in simple measure and changes many of his views. At the close of the play he is the scourge of the fallen women of the town; at the close he is their defender and apologist, quoting "let him who is without sin among you cast the first stone." This change was brought about partly by the presence in his home of "The Eternal Magdalene" who, in the play, is a girl who has been seduced and is now a prostitute. It is in the light of conscience and memory.

The play was splendidly produced under the direction of Frank Wright. Mr. James T. Galloway made a strong and impressive "Elijah Bradshaw," a scene with the Rev. Smith being a fine piece of finished acting. As "A Woman of the Town" Miss Inez Ragan showed an intelligent appreciation of the part and an intelligent actress was most appealing. Miss Gladys McLeod was a captivating temptress and her lover, Mr. Ivan Miller as "John Bradshaw" was a manly figure that won the sympathies of the audience from the start. Miss Rose Keston was convincing as the simple and sincere girl who is seduced. J. Hayden gave a realistic impression of the impetuous son. Others who were acceptably were E. J. Kast who did a fine piece of dancing, Miss Gertrude Shirley, Mildred Vincent, Frank Wright, Paul Courteau and Bascomb and a very spirited dance. The scene of the three girls in the library of Mr. Bradshaw's residence and it conveyed the impression of a good taste. There are many surprising and unique play, but the great surprise comes at the close.

## KEITH'S THEATRE

One of the feature acts at the B. F. Keith theatre this week is "The Dream of the Orient," a magnificent musical spectacle featuring Madame Makarenko and her beautiful Oriental girls in a 22-minute act consisting of musical and dancing numbers which are sure to please from the first to the last. The company is composed of 10 people and will do not accomplish in the line of singing and dancing is not worth being seen.

The sketch is in two scenes, the first depicting a young man "bitting" the opium pipe and going into a pleasure. In the other scene this young man is seen surrounded by a group of charming young women who dance and sing for him. The young man then joins the gathering and is given a great deal of attention. The program of dancing and singing is most picturesque and pleasing. Madame Makarenko, a southerly girl, is seen in a beautiful costume with several operatic touches. Makarenko, who wields the baton for the orchestra and chorus, also plays the piano solo. All in all the sketch is interesting and amusing.

Two young men booked as Will Morrison & Co. prove a happy pair. They sing and give instrumental selections, while their vocabulary of witty sayings has no end. One of the performers is an excellent pianist and his chief occupation is to play to show his skill as a pianist. His pal is an accomplished violinist. He delights in breaking the harmony of the piano. This act was one of the hits of last evening's performance and the young men were forced to respond to a series of encores.

Corbett, Shepard & Brennan, are listed as "Three Boys Who Sing," and the listing is not incorrect in any way for the trio are possessed of excellent voices, which can be used to advantage. One of the trio is an accomplished pianist and he proves of great help to his mates. The boys sing well and inject just enough humor to please and tickle the laughing cords of the meaneest grocer.

The bill opens with a series of illustrations depicting the military of Uncle Sam on the Mexican border, taken by Lieut. Eldridge. A Spanish American war veteran, who, while the pictures are being thrown on the screen, gives an interesting talk on the southern country. The lieutenant winds up his act with his Narasaki song pictures, real and pretty.

The Tournee Sisters play various instruments and they also have the facility of pleasing with vocal selections. The girls are handsome and prove to be real entertainers. Their act is new in this part of the country and worth seeing. Last but not the least comes Queenie Pandin, the "party girl," who sings, dances, performs on the slack wire and rides a bicycle, while her act is closed with acrobatic feats. This young woman excels in her act. The 10th chapter of "The Romance" with Miss Billie Burke starred in it, is exciting to a degree. Some wonderfully good photography is also in evidence. This picture will be shown with the remainder of the bill, twice daily, the rest of the week.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE.—One of the best, biggest and grandest bills of motion pictures seen at the Merrimack Square Theatre in some time was thoroughly enjoyed by the many patrons who crowded this popular theatre at the continuous performance yesterday afternoon and evening. Louise Huff, dainty and beautiful, ap-

# AGENT OF LYMAN SCHOOL SHOT BY BOY

WESTBORO, Sept. 19.—Clarence A. Merrill of Westboro, visiting agent of the Lyman School for Boys, was shot in the right side yesterday afternoon by Howard R. McNairn, a 15-year-old Lyman school boy, who since last December has been employed in Marlboro by Timothy Brennan, a horist.

The boy claimed he came back to the school yesterday afternoon to see about being allowed to return to his home in Springfield. When he came into the school office there were present Supt. Elmer L. Coffeen, Mr. Merrill and Henry L. Chase.

Supt. Coffeen ordered the boy searched. Mr. Chase started to comply with the order when the boy stepped back and, crying, "Throw up your hands," shot Mr. Merrill.

Merrill grappled with the boy and threw his hand up as he shot the second time, the bullet going into the side of the office. The boy was then overpowered with the assistance of Mr. Chase and the revolver taken from him.

When searched he was found to have in his pockets 270 22 calibre bullets, a long dagger, two watches, two rings, a flashlight and \$15.75.

Dr. Albert Clark was called to attend Mr. Merrill, and removed him to his automobile to the Worcester City Hospital. The boy was arrested by Chief of Police Thomas W. Humphrey and last night lodged in the lockup on the charge of murderous assault, to await the result of Mr. Merrill's wound.

Dr. Clark believes the bullet entered a rib.

The boy claims he bought the revolver in Marlboro.

The witnesses to the shooting included Edward H. Sullivan, a visitor from Wakefield, and Miss Flora Sweet of Westboro.

The McNairn boy, who appeared to be weak minded, was placed in the Lyman school from Springfield in 1913. His parents are dead.

Heared to exceptional advantage in the role of Patience in the pleasing five-act play of "Quaker Girl" at the Lyman School. This play is especially distinctive in the graphic way in which it portrays the emotions of a loving Quaker man who has to strive to watch the marriage of the man who loves to an indifferent woman, who is a prize to him. Another big feature of the play is "The Inner Struggle," starring the accomplished stars, Winifred Greenwood and Franklin Rich. These plays, as well as others, have been added to this bill. It is the story of a woman who makes her faithless husband believe that she is worth his every sacrifice, and results in his ultimate redemption. Charlie Chaplin in "The Stormy Romance" is a real picture feature which no one should miss seeing. These plays, as well as others, will also be shown at the Merrimack Square theatre today and tomorrow. During the last three days of this week a special feature will be shown is the motion picture of the recent Labor day parade which was especially taken by the Merrimack Square theatre photographer. Come and see yourself in the movies.

## OWL THEATRE

The young star on the American stage, Violet Dame, a more than girl of sixteen, will be seen at the Owl theatre this afternoon and evening, in the new Metro release, "The Light of Happiness." This is an extra feature dealing with two young girls, a minister and a young society man, who regains his sight after having been blind since birth. An all star cast was selected to support Miss Dame in this feature, which is without doubt one of the best here for some time. Grace Darling, the famous reporter-actress will also be seen in the new serial, "Beatrice Fairfax." In this episode, Arthur Brisbane, the greatest editorial writer in the world, will also be seen in a small part. Other high class attractions will also be presented at the owl theatre this afternoon and evening.

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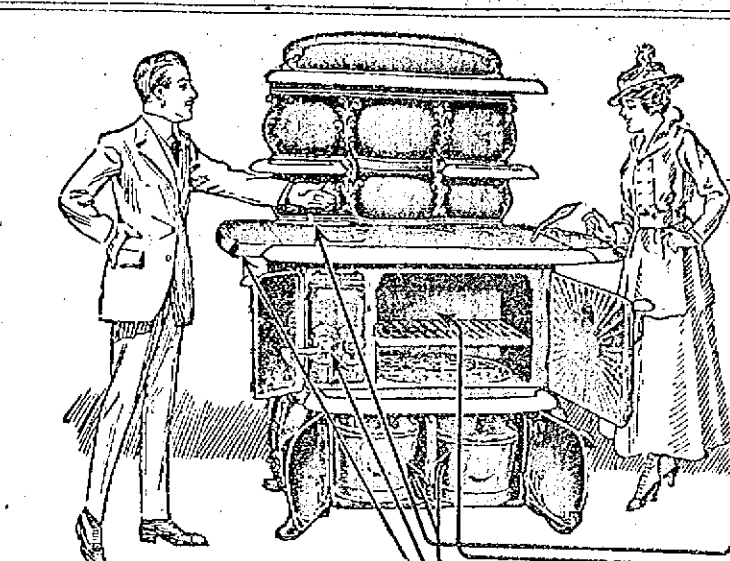
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STATE HOUSE, Boston, Sept. 19.—Shipment of the ballots to be used in the state primaries one week from today was begun by the secretary of state last night, and will probably be completed, except for the Boston precincts, by tomorrow night.

This year \$50,000 ballots were printed, the law requiring that sixty ballots shall be provided for each fifty registered voters, or fraction of fifty, so that a town having fifty-one voters would receive, under the law, one hundred and twenty ballots.

The first ballots shipped were those for the seven towns in Dukes county, together with the bundle for the island of Nantucket. These will be delivered to the Nantucket steamer today, and should be in nearly all of the towns before nightfall.

A few of the Barnstable county ballots were made ready for shipment last night, but the greater part went this morning. Only one set of ballots for Sandwich has to be sent outside of the Commonwealth, in order to reach its destination. The ballots for Sandwich are delivered at Winsted, Ct., and taken to its destination by stage.

This year's ballot will be the usual "blanket" with the three parties arranged in parallel columns. Republican voters will find their candidates in the first column on the left; the prohibitionists candidates (there are very few) will be found in the middle, and the democratic column will be at the extreme right.

All of this year's ballots will be of the same size. Last year there were much complaints in Danvers, Brookline and ward 20, Boston, because of the number of candidates for ward 20 town committee made it necessary for the secretary to print larger ballots for those places. Although the Danvers republicans have again decided that there shall be fifty members of their town committee, only twenty-five candidates have been nominated, and this permits the names to be arranged on a ballot of the uniform size.

HOYT.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

Noble Grand Samuel Kershaw presided over the regular meeting of the Local Excelsior lodge, L. O. E. F. M. E., which was held last evening in Post 120 hall. The outing committee reported favorably on the recent event conducted by the organization and it was announced that at the next meeting to be held October 2 the white and scarlet degrees will be worked.

Lowell Enlist.

A special meeting of the members of Lowell Aerie of Eagles was held last evening with Worthy President Patrick J. McMan in the chair. The meeting was for the purpose of taking action on the Columbus day parade and it was unanimously voted that the organization participate in the celebration, and a committee of 25 was appointed to look after arrangements.

Mineral Fairmount Auxiliary 47

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of Mineral Fairmount auxiliary, 17, which was held in Post 185 hall last evening with Mrs. Seta Pickering, president in the chair. An invitation was received to attend the reception to Division President Lott L. Ford in Chelsea, Sept. 27. Other

## AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF MINING ENGINEERS

FIRST OF TECHNICAL SESSIONS OF CONVENTION HELD AT DOUGLAS, ARIZONA

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 19.—The first of the technical sessions of the convention of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, which is meeting in various places in Arizona this week, were held here today on the general subjects of "smelting" and "leaching."

A. G. McGregor, of Warren, Ariz., in an address on the "New Copper Smelting Plants in Arizona" told the engineers that in Arizona during the past five years there has been more activity in copper-smelting plant construction than in the same length of time in the history of the world. Mr. McGregor said that in this period five new copper-smelting plants had been constructed and put into operation. The monthly output from these plants, he said, averages from 5,000,000 to 13,000,000 pounds. He then described new problems which had been met successfully and new features in plant design and equipment which had been developed.

At the evening session on "Leaching" Frederick Laist and Harold W. Aldrich described the 7000-ton leaching plant at Anaconda, Mont.

The party left last night for Bisbee where tomorrow's sessions will be held. Mining and geology will be the subjects to be taken up in the technical discussions.

## PRICE OF BREAD ADVANCES

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Bread prices will advance this week from 5 to 6 cents. Thus far the advance is announced in only one bakery in Greater Boston, but a canvass of the larger baking companies yesterday points to the increase becoming statewide.

The reason given by the bakers for an additional cent per loaf for the present loaf is said to be enormous increase in the prices of ingredients, together with the added increase of overhead expenses and labor.

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## APPEAL TO BUSINESS

A great deal is being said about the "appeal to business" in the present campaign—especially by Mr. Hughes. For political purposes he assumes that the various interests grouped under the general term "business" are antagonistic to President Wilson, and he is out to make the most of their opposition. Unfortunately for him his appeal is by word of mouth only, while the genuine appeal of President Wilson is based on actual deeds. Hughes appeals to business for Hughes; President Wilson's record appeals for him. Of the two appeals, that by word only may rouse the demagogue and the partisan, but the logical and unmistakable appeal of President Wilson's administration must carry weight with thinking men.

One of the Hughes calamity cries—and there are many varieties—is based on the democratic tariff. He fears, forsooth, that at the close of the war foreign commodities will be dumped on the American market in great quantities, and he wants a tariff wall so high that they cannot be thrown over it. If we only have that tariff wall, everlasting prosperity is assured for all of us. Needless to say, it is the same old cry of all republican campaigns, and naturally those who would profit most by a high tariff are taking it up and carrying it along.

But, does any sensible American economist fear foreign competition at the close of the war? Outside of the political blunder that is set off in campaign speeches one looks in vain for confirmation of the statement that foreign-made manufactures will be dumped on our markets. There is not a nation in Europe or anywhere else that will be able to compete with us for 10 years after the war, even to the extent that obtained prior to it, and then we were leading the world. In the reconstruction that will follow, all nations will have their hands full building up industry and commerce, and the nations abroad seem more afraid of the dumping of American goods than we are afraid of them. Experts of the leading nations are frank in their admissions that after the war the United States will be in the most advantageous position of all nations, and they declare that all the belligerents will have to seek here the commodities that war's waste will prevent their manufacturing. And, supposing that there is a danger of foreign competition: Would the interests of the people be safer in the hands of Mr. Hughes' political tariff makers—Root, Penrose & Co.—than in the hands of President Wilson's non-partisan tariff commission?

President Wilson has every reason to confidently appeal to business because he has been most solicitous for the advancement of American business interests. He has not, to be sure, submitted to the dictation of Wall street or the trusts but he has never shown any desire to make political capital at the expense of the nation's business and he has frequently asked for the fullest measure of business co-operation. Under his policies our foreign trade has risen to new heights and he has made scientific and thorough preparations for the greater prosperity that will come if we prepare for it intelligently. Had President Wilson's efforts for a merchant marine and for the strengthening of American business ties been seconded more warmly we should now be even stronger than we are in world trade.

It was as a friend of business and a champion of the people's rights that the president established the federal reserve act which, in the words of Theodore E. Price, "stands out as the most superlatively beneficial legislation which any party has ever given to the people." It was as a friend of business he also worked for the rural credits act, the income tax law, the federal trade commission act, the child labor act, the good roads law, the merchant marine law and all the other wise and far seeing measures that have written his name in American history as a true friend of American business. Mr. Hughes may claim that he is the only true friend that the American business man has. The country will have to take his word for it, but there is proof in abundance to show every honest student that if business should turn its back on President Wilson it will show itself not only ungrateful but woefully blind.

## TWO GOOD PRECEDENTS

To read some criticisms of President Wilson's Mexican policy one would suppose that it is contrary to American traditions or American practices. Yet, speeches and letters of President Taft and President Lincoln show that each in his day preached doctrines very similar to those of the president who has made famous the phrase "watchful waiting." Here is what Mr. Taft said in the closing days of his administration:

"We must not in a case like Mexico—for it differs from the Central American republics—take such action as shall give them to believe that we are moved by selfish purposes, or arouse them to opposition to us. We must avoid in every way that which is called intervention, and use all the patience possible, with the prayer that some power may arise there to bring about peace throughout the troubled country. . . . But I have no sympathy, none at all, and the charge of cowardice does not frighten me, with that which prompts us for purposes of exploitation and to invade another country and involve ourselves in a war, the extent of which we could not realize, and the sacrifice of thousands of lives and of millions of treasure."

If this excerpt were read to the average citizen, he would in all probability ascribe it to President Wilson, but it was said by the republican president who handed down the Mexican problem to his successor. The sentiments expressed were not applauded by the extremists of that day any more than President Wilson's Mexican policy is applauded by the extremists and political critics of today.

And here is the Lincoln precedent, as reflected in a letter of his secretary of state:

"For a few years past the condition of Mexico has been so unsettled as to raise the question on both sides of the Atlantic whether the time has not come when some foreign power ought to intervene to establish a protectorate or some form of government in that country and guarantee its continuance there. You will not fail to assure the government of Mexico that the president neither has, nor can ever have, any sympathy with such designs, in whatever character they may arise, or whatever character they may take on. . . . The president is hopeful of

the ultimate triumph of this system over all obstacles as well in regard to Mexico as in regard to every other American state; but he feels that those states are nevertheless justly entitled to a greater forbearance and more generous sympathies from the government and people of the United States than they are likely to receive in any other quarter."

It may be too much to ask that the republican spellbinders be consistent—but they ought at least to be fair. When they criticize the Mexican policy of President Wilson they come pretty near criticizing the Mexican policy of two former republican presidents—one of whom has passed beyond all criticism.

## THE BLACKMAIL GANGS

From newspaper reports that are becoming quite frequent it would seem that blackmail is now the leading industry of the clever crooks who infect the larger cities. When we get more familiar with the brick tablets of Nineveh and Babylon we shall probably find that blackmail is as old as sin, but not until recent times has it become a fine art. Federal agents who have arrested five men and three women in Chicago say that their haul recently among wealthy men and women was \$250,000, of which \$40,000 was paid by one wealthy duke. Federal agents do not generally make statements for publication without good grounds, but it is very unlikely that they uncovered many cases of blackmail which, of its very nature, rarely gets into the courts. Most victims get caught in humiliating circumstances and if they are of a sensitive nature they pay the price of blackmail rather than face what is to them shameful publicity. It is up to the federal authorities to banish blackmail and it can be done if the victims of it could be guaranteed freedom from publicity while evidence is being secured.

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## THE PINCHOTS DISAGREE

We recently called the attention of Sun readers to the ridiculous propaganda letter of Gifford Pinchot in favor of Hughes. It was not a convincing letter and evidently it did not convince Amos Pinchot, brother of the ready letter writer who is out for President Wilson. Both brothers were among the founders of the progressive party and supporters of Roosevelt, but Amos Pinchot refused to be involved in the political swap of the erstwhile progressive idol. "The letter of Amos Pinchot is not nearly as rhetorically resonant as that of his brother, but it hits straight out in a way that can be readily grasped," says Mr. Amos Pinchot. "Colonel Roosevelt steered the progressive ship as long as the sailing was good. But when it got into rough water he promptly changed back to the republican craft. And, incidentally, he did not take much with him. . . . He took a quick jump and left behind him progressive principles and most of the real men of the party." Whatever we may think of Mr. Gifford Pinchot, his brother evidently does not regard him as one of the "real men of the party."

## LAST CHANCE TO REGISTER

Tonight from 7 to 9 p. m. is the last chance to register so as to be able to vote at the primaries Sept. 26, and it is to be hoped that all eligible will avail of the opportunity. It is a cause for continual complaint that so many citizens neglect their great privilege and keep away from the polls at primaries and elections. Very often the primary vote is more important than that of the election, and whatever one's political views may be, there should be no staying away from the polls. It is up to all who have a vote but who have not registered to go to city hall this evening and get their names on the voting list—otherwise they cannot exercise the greatest privilege of the American citizen on Sept. 26.

## EDITORIAL COMMENT

### A Dead Hope?

Mr. Hughes was photographed in Los Angeles beside the skeleton remains of a mastodon. In this campaign he is standing by the skeleton remains of a political party that was once mastodon.—Waterbury Democrat.

### Advice to Repuls

In the hour of victory, advice with warning, may not be out of place. The republican party went through defeat because it had been arrogant in leadership. Men who forgot their citizenship in office believed as though they owned their position in fee. They disregarded the opinions of those who dissented. They stood aloof and regarded the people as though they were publicans, a party of old men, without new blood, new thought, new hopes or ideals.—Lowell Journal.

### Hughes Inconsistent

Mr. Hughes assails "the rule of force." But what is a strike but the rule of force? A strike is coercion, it is war. In the case of the railroads and their trainmen, the victims of the strike would have been the whole American people. Mr. Hughes would investigate before he would legislate. He is like the Parisian who, being asked why he did not jump into the river and save the drowning man, answered that he had not been introduced to him. A government that did not safeguard a supreme public interest by swift action in an emergency, because this might mean the loss of a few jobs, had not been brought to its attention, would be unworthy to be called a government.—Springfield Republican.

### As Under Says

Under Wilson, we are at peace with the world, but Providence, not Wilson, should have the credit. Under Wilson we are having a greater degree of prosperity than any nation ever experienced before, but the European war, and not Wilson, should be credited with it.

We do not know what you think about it, gentle readers, but we do know that either Hughes has been a mighty weak case or he has been most unfortunate in his choice of chief publicist.—Worcester Post.

### He'll Talk Afterwards

Since Candidate Hughes professes to know just how to handle serious disputes between employers and railroad workers, should he not have carefully concealed the prices from the public, it might be well for the municipal authorities of New York to request him to try his hand at settling the railway strike there. If he succeeded, then people would have cause to take faith in his claims.—Fair River Globe.

### Non-Partisan Bill

The Adamson bill was voted for by 20 republican members of the national house of representatives, more than a majority of those of the party present and voting. Does the candidate including these republicans in his assistants on the law team feel that he is in any of their districts, declare that they "basely yielded to force" and ought not to be re-elected.—Boston Post.

## Be Careful in Using Soap on Your Hair

Most soaps and prepared shampoos which are much abused, are very injurious to the hair and make the hair brittle. The best thing to use is just plain unsifted coconut oil, for it is pure and entirely creaseless. It is very cheap, and bears the most expensive soaps and shampoos as well as any drug store. You can get this at any drug store, and a few cures will last the whole family for months. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of soft, clean, healthy, shining hair, and it is easy to wash. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, healthy, wavy, and easy to handle. It does it, it looses and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

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First Burglar—I cracked a lawyer's house the other night, and the lawyer was there with a gun ready for me. He advised me to get out.  
Second Ditto—You got out easy; then I was generally charged big money when they give advice.—Exchange.

### She Was Right

Nelly—No, it's not.  
Anita—Yes, it is, because my father said so, and my father is a professor at the university.  
Nelly—I don't care if he is. My father is a real estate man and he knows more about lying than your father.—Exchange.

### Nut Sea

Portly Woman (pushing her way into a police station)—I see you have arrested a man whose mind is a blank.  
Officer—We have, madam.  
Portly Woman—Then please bring him out so I may have a look at him. My Henry didn't come home last night, and that's a fairly good description of him.—Puck.

### He Knew About Them

"Can I interest you in a rapid calculating machine?" asked the caller.  
"No chance," replied the Busy Man. "I have two of them in my cellar at home."  
"In your cellar?" exclaimed the caller.  
"Yes, in my cellar," repeated the Busy Man. "One of them is attached to the gas pipe and the other is attached to the electric feed wire."

### A Little Ditty

A tree won't bite, but it barks continually.  
Almost everybody falls for the autumn.  
If a window weighs 25 pounds, what would a door weigh?  
You have seen the red bird, but have you ever seen the brick bat?  
While on the subject of big fires, how would you chase the grates fire?  
When the bible speaks of asking for bread and getting a stone did it refer to marble cake?  
Though you may be a peaceable family, you are bound to have family jars, if you have preserved fruits.

### "One-on-Manna"

(Author unknown)  
A maiden sat reading a letter,  
Her cheeks were like roses a-bloom;  
"From your own sweetheart Thomas," she finished.  
As her mother came into the room.  
"What's this?" the harsh mother cried sternly.  
"This talking of sweetness," said she; "A letter from that young fool Thomas. Pray hand it right over to me."  
"Dear mother, I'll read you the letter," said the maiden, with voice so demure.  
"I know it will please you to hear it. For it's a nice letter, I am sure."  
"Dear Laura, I love you so madly. Tonight I am lonely and torn. With my voice the maiden was reading.  
The mother was listening with scorn.  
"I know that your parents don't like me. But where there's a will there's a way. And they will yet dance at our wedding."  
The bold lover went on to say.  
"Stop! Stop!" cried the mother in anger.  
"I never in all my long life. Saw a letter so stuffed full of nonsense. Such a fool to be seeking a wife!"  
"Hush, mother," the daughter said softly.  
"And say nothing that you will rue. For I have just read to you, mother. An old letter papa sent to you."

### 100,000 TO BET ON WILSON

New York Club Bookers Says Bet Will Be Placed If Hughes Men Give 5 to 2  
NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—J. J. Stokes, a club broker, made it known yesterday that a certain large uptown interest is ready to bet \$100,000 that Woodrow Wilson will be elected president. Stokes said this was not a democratic bet, and that he was confident that if the Hughes people would offer 5 to 2 the money would be placed.  
Edward McQuade, who handles most of the big commissions on club bets, had several thousand dollars to bet on Hughes at 2 to 1. Late in the afternoon a flood of Wilson money appeared on the curb and all the Hughes money offered at those odds was eagerly grabbed.

### HOW TO BE SLIM

If you are too fat and want to reduce your weight 15 or 20 pounds, don't starve and weaken your system, or think you must always be laughed at on account of your fat, but go on a W. Devine's, or any good, drugist, and get a box of Oil of Korin capsules, take one after each meal and one before retiring at night.  
Weigh yourself once a week and note what a pleasant and reliable method this is for removing superfluous fat from any part of the body.  
It costs little, is absolutely harmless and a week's trial should convince anyone that it is unnecessary to be burdened with even a single pound of unsightly fat.

# A QUARTER CENTURY AGO

The Massachusetts State Firemen's association held its annual three days' convention in Lowell just quarter of a century ago and the affair was one of the biggest of its kind in history up to those days. The convention was held in Huntington hall, while the second day saw a big parade of the veteran firemen from all over New England and a play-out on the South common with a huge midway, at which "everything went." A feature of the occasion also was a grand banquet given by the city of Lowell to the visiting firemen and it was held in the freight house in Thorndike st. which had just been completed and which made an excellent place in which to stage such an event. Another feature was recorded by the old Sun as follows:

"Yesterday morning all of the fire apparatus of Lowell was gathered in Market street for the inspection of the convention. During the exhibition the Babcock truck toppled over and would undoubtedly have killed somebody, and perhaps many, as it would have fallen on the city of Lowell for the time of an elm tree that it injured. The convention wound up with a concert and ball in Huntington hall in the evening."

### East Lowell Horses

Said The Sun of quarter of a century ago:  
"At the opening day's session of the Breeders' meeting at Myrtle park, Sept. 29, two Lowell horses are to trot—Thomas McLaughlin's 'Orange Blossom' and Joseph M. Wilson's 'Arthur Walker.'"  
"Tom" McLaughlin was the proprietor of the Franklin hotel and trained some of C. I. Hood's famous racers, along with owning some good ones of his own. J. M. Wilson has long since abandoned horses and is a principal of one of the principal promoters of that new bridge at Pawtucket falls.

### Old Time School Matters

Recently the school board requested the municipal council to furnish it with about \$500 to finish out the season. Quarter of a century ago, the city council voted a loan of \$1850 to help out the school board. At present the municipal council hasn't reached the figures on the building of the new high school, but the Sun of quarter of a century ago gives us the following:  
"The contract for the foundation work on the new high school building was awarded to P. F. Brady by the lands and buildings committee \$3610. In later years Mr. Brady became superintendent of streets."

### High Cost of Living

Says The Sun of a quarter century ago:  
"The milkmen of the city have decided to demand six cents per quart for their milk during the winter. This should enable them to sell it without dilution."  
Those were the good old days!

### Middlesex Mechanics Course

Quarter of a century ago the old Middlesex Mechanics' association, which then was the subject of big fires, how would you chase the grates fire? When the bible speaks of asking for bread and getting a stone did it refer to marble cake? Though you may be a peaceable family, you are bound to have family jars, if you have preserved fruits.

The Middlesex Mechanics' association provided some of the finest entertainment ever given in Lowell, as above would testify. Sir Edward Arnold had just come to this country at that time and was booked to deliver 50 lectures for which he was to receive the sum of \$50,000. His first lecture was given in Lowell. The Middlesex Mechanics' association at least, to bring him to Lowell for one night. Would take a lecturer on bringing a \$1000 per night lecturer, to Lowell in these prosperous days?

### Old Time Precinct Officers

The board of aldermen appointed the precinct officers of the old days and as the completion of the board and almost annually there was a general annual scrap for the jobs of precinct officers. Those who "stood in" with the aldermen of quarter of a century ago were as follows:

### WARD ONE

Precinct 1—Warden, James F. Hurley; deputy, John J. Barrington; clerk, George A. Lawrence; inspectors, George A. Lawrence, John J. Condon, John A. Davis, Thomas B. Keene, John A. Knapp; deputies, James B. McCormick, William Danahy; George W. Reed, and Frank L. Kneese. Precinct 2—Warden, D. J. Crowley; deputy, C. E. Peterson; clerk, R. H. Benson; inspectors, George A. Lawrence, Joseph H. Galt, J. S. Gilbert; deputy, E. E. Davis, F. S. Gilbert; deputy, A. J. Cunningham, Jos. O'Rourke, William Stowe, Wm. H. Dorr. Precinct 3—Warden, Peter F. Kelly; deputy, W. H. Ryan; clerk, C. W. Dana; deputy, A. J. Bixby; inspectors, James O'Neil, P. D. O'Rourke, deputies, A. B. O'Neil, J. J. Grant, J. E. Fletcher, Thomas J. Murphy, A. B. Fillmore, W. Simpson.

### WARD TWO

Precinct 1—Warden, H. A. McSorley; deputy, John Brown; clerk, William A. Arnold; deputy, George L. Adams; inspectors, James F. McMahon, E. F. Morley, William H. Collins, W. E. Morse; deputies, H. O. Robinson, Aug. Work, John Connolly, P. J. McCormick. Precinct 2—Warden, H. Hogan; deputy, Hugh Callahan; clerk, W. S. Carleton; inspectors, O. C. Carleton, James Cavanaugh, Carlos Hazen, M. N. Stanley; deputies, James Lynch, John Watson, Jr., J. E. Burrill, George H. Taylor. Precinct 3—Warden, Joseph H. McGrath; deputy, Thomas Barry; clerk, T. D. Hodge; deputy, A. J. Fenton; inspectors, J. M. O'Brien, J. F. Wingham, J. P. McKissee; J. A. Simpson; deputies, James Brown, William Smith, Mitchell Adams, A. W. Thompson.

### WARD THREE

Precinct 1—Warden, Frank O'Hare; deputy, Edward Gullen; clerk, David Wilman; deputy, Henry Hatch; inspectors, P. H. O'Connell; W. H. Connors, C. A. Griffin, Joseph Green; deputies, P. M. McQuade, C. E. Kirby, G. D. Darling, Harry R. Ross. Precinct 2—Warden, James Howard; deputy, Martin Hyatt; clerk, Peter Gendall; inspectors, C. P. Rolfe; inspectors, M. H. Winkler, T. O'Hare, John Orell, S. K. Kirkerton; deputies, John Murtha, M. H. Sweeney, J. H. Ashworth, E. F. Crosby. Precinct 3—Warden, J. E. Fitzpatrick; deputy, H. F. Sullivan; inspectors, Charles Renshaw, George Fitzpatrick, J. E. Hill, T. H. Fitzgerald, S. R. Coburn, C. F.



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## IRISH PROFESSOR KILLED

## IN ACTION AT GINCHY

LIEUT. KETTLE WAS BROTHER-IN-LAW OF LATE SHEEH SKEFFINGTON

DUBLIN, Sept. 12.—Lieut. Thomas Michael Kettle, professor of economics in the National university, has been killed in action at Ginchey. He was a brother-in-law of the late Sheehy Skeffington, who was shot during the recent uprising in Ireland. A 1906 Professor Kettle made a tour of the United States in the interest of the Irish cause.

Professor Kettle was born in 1881, the son of a pioneer of the Irish law movement. He was a lawyer and journalist, and from 1906 to 1910 represented East Tyrone in parliament.

### FOR MR. COLBURN

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A political rally in favor of the candidacy of Arthur W. Colburn of Dr. J. M. Colburn, who is a candidate for senator in the eighth district was held last evening in lower Grange hall, Centre village. The attendance was large and the presiding officer was George J. Stevens. Mr. Colburn and many others addressed the gathering and a present pledged themselves to do the utmost in promoting the candidacy of their fellow townsman.

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## Healthful Sleep

is necessary for the enjoyment and prolongation of life. During sleep Nature renews the vital forces of the body and restores the energy.



AGAINST BLACKMAILERS  
Continued

oral agents here, and possible continuance of their preliminary hearing, was in prospect today as witnesses from eastern cities arrived in Chicago to testify against the seven persons under arrest.

James Christian, one of the four men and three women taken in the raid here Saturday night, was freed on a \$2500 bond late last night, officials admitting they had little evidence to connect him with the alleged fleecing of Mrs. Regina Klipper of Philadelphia, the principal witness against the defendants. The three alleged leaders probably will be held under \$5000 bond. These three are Helen Evans, Edward ("Doc") Donahue and Harry ("Slick") Russell.

The story of the blackmailing of Mrs. Klipper involves Frank Crocker, a member of the band, who is alleged to have fleeced her, quarreled with the confederates, over a division of the spoils and then turned a state's evidence against them. Crocker is to be given immunity.

Mrs. Klipper, a divorcee, with three small children, met Crocker in a New York hotel while there on a buying trip, for a Philadelphia concern. She and Crocker, according to the confession Crocker is said to have made to federal officials, went to an apartment after a dinner and evening at a theatre. Shortly after midnight, according to the confession, Edward Donahue, William Butler, and George Levin knocked at the door. All wore badges of the government secret service and they showed a bogus warrant for the arrest of the couple for violation of the Mann act.

Crocker, affecting surprise and indignation, wrote out a check for \$5000 and advised Mrs. Klipper to pay the men what money she had, and this she did.

When Mrs. Klipper threatened to tell her story to federal authorities, members of the band, according to government charges, spirited her away to a hotel in Montreal. There she was held prisoner for six weeks.

**NOTED SCIENTISTS NOW  
FEDERAL OFFICERS**

THOS. A. EDISON AND 23 OTHERS  
TAKE OATH OF ALLEGIANCE  
TO UNITED STATES

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Twenty-four of America's foremost scientists, comprising the navy's civilian consulting board, headed by Thomas A. Edison, took the oath of allegiance to the United States today as officers of the federal government. The oath was administered in the office of Secretary Daniels.

Before Mr. Edison arrived at the navy department he went to Mount Vernon, N.Y., the home of George Washington, made a personal inspection of the mansion and planted an elm tree in the yard. He was asked to inspect the electrical wiring of the house, which he did, pronouncing it safe.

Secretary Daniels formally welcomed the scientists into the federal service and predicted that their enlistment would do much to restore American prestige upon the seas and assure the "glorious future of our navy and our country."

Mrs. Susie Gardner, Cunningham, formerly with "The Gilbride Co.," has accepted a position with The Fashion Millinery Store, 115 Merrimack Street.

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**Baskets**  
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and Peck  
**FRUIT PICKERS**  
And Handles.  
**STEP LADDERS**  
LADDERS  
**BARTLETT & DOW**  
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Received Too Late for Classification

**FRENCH POODLE** female dog lost between Farmland road and Stanley & Howard. Mrs. Harmon, 53 Stanley & phone 2993-N.

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chants & we will have  
permanent prosperity  
Keep the dollar at home  
& you will see it again



# CHILDREN RACE DOWN HILL IN RUNAWAY CAR

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—Five Somerville children, all under six years of age, had a narrow escape from serious injury yesterday afternoon, after boarding a large touring car left standing in front of 37 Porter street, Somerville, when the machine started, dashed down the steep hill and crossing electric car tracks at the base of the hill, crashed into a fence on Elm street.

Two of the children leaped from the machine before it acquired much speed. The other three, too frightened to leap, huddled together in the auto and rode screaming to the base of the 60-foot hill. Lillian Jackson, 3 years of age, 43 Porter street, suffered an abrasion and contusion on her forehead. The other two were badly shaken and frightened but sustained no hurt.

The quick wit of Mrs. Margaret Murphy of 36 Porter street is said to have averted a collision between the coasting auto and the electric car approaching the base of the hill. She was waiting for an in-bound car, when she observed the children coming down the steep hill in the runaway machine.

She seized her hat and waving it furiously while standing on the street car tracks stopped the approaching street car. It was some 100 yards from the base of the hill when she saw the children in the automobile with its three children tan by and crashed into the fence.

Dr. Arden Mangurian and his wife of Manchester, N. H., yesterday afternoon paid a visit to his brother at 37 Porter street, Somerville, and left their automobile standing in front of the house. About 2 o'clock, Arthur Jackson, 4½ years old, and his sister, Lillian Jackson, 3 years old, of 43 Porter street, with Anna Brooks, 5 years old, of 13-A Porter street, boarded the car and occupied the front seat. Mary Mangurian, 1 year old, of 37 Porter street, sat in the rear seat.

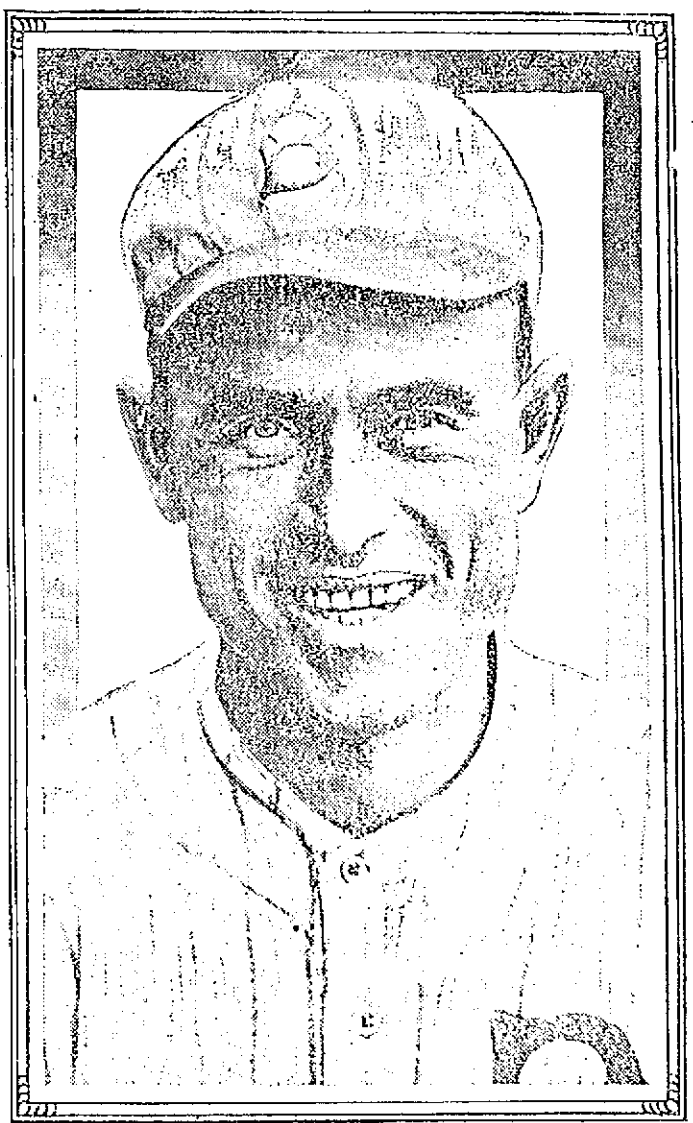
The children thought to stay in the car until the owner came to start it on his way home. The machine was facing down the steep hill, and in some manner unknown to the children, started off.

# BOY SUFFOCATED BY FALLING SEA WALL

EIGHT-YEAR-OLD BEVERLY LAD KILLED BY CAVE-IN ON LOTHROP BOULEVARD

BEVERLY, Sept. 18.—Edward Lawnsby, 8 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Lawnsby, 30 Rich street, died of asphyxiation yesterday afternoon when the sea wall being constructed on Lothrop boulevard caved in and buried him. Lawnsby and another boy were standing on the wall at the time it collapsed. Workmen employed about the wall released the boy and sought in vain to revive him with a lungmotor. The body was viewed by Acting Medical Examiner H. A. Sears.

# PITCHER CHENEY OF THE DODGERS USES HIS FIRST CURVE BALL



BROOKLYN, Sept. 18.—Larry Cheney, the Dodgers' clever young twirler, pitched his first curve ball in the big league, recently. "I have never had a curve, and every ball player and manager in the league knows it," said Larry. "I have always depended on my fast one—my spitter—and using my head, but lately I have been working with a curve and think I will fool a lot of the wise boys. I took a chance in the fifth inning of Pittsburgh when Bob Harmon was up with two out, and we were four runs to the good. I offered Hickory Bob as nice a curve as you could wish to see. He came very near making a hit of it, as McCarty had to take the chance in deep first and do a mighty slide to the bag to beat Harmon, who is a speed marvel at sprinting. Still the experiment was satisfactory, and I will try it again." Cheney is in good form and is one of Manager Robinson's dependables.

# QUESTION OF WAGES WAS DISCUSSED

CARMEN'S UNION IN CONFERENCE WITH OFFICIALS OF BAY STATE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY

A conference between representatives of the Street Carmen's union and officials of the Bay State Street Railway Co. in relation to the new agreement submitted by the employees of the road was held yesterday in Boston. Representing the union were President Fred Crowley of this city, chairman of the joint conference board; P. F. Sheehan of Brockton, secretary of the board; and John Leonard of Worcester, one of the general officials of the Street Railway Men's union, while the Bay State company was represented by its general manager and assistant general manager.

The first portion of the proposed new agreement relative to working conditions was discussed, but the articles referring to an advance in wages was not reached yesterday. It was announced at the close of the conference that a daily session will be held until the entire document has been taken up and been acted upon, either favorably or unfavorably by the management.

# INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The members of the Beavers' union held an interesting meeting last evening and elected Organizer Thomas F. McLaughlin as a delegate to represent the organization at the convention of the United Textile Workers of America, which will be held in New York in the near future. In the course of the meeting 25 new members were initiated.

**Home From Convention**  
Alfred W. Hersome of the Steam and Operating Engineers' union has returned from the international convention of the organization, which was held in Newark, N. J., during the past week. Mr. Hersome will submit a report of the convention at the regular meeting of his organization, which will be held tomorrow evening.

**Beavers' Club Smoke Talk**  
The Old Fellows building in Middlesex st. was the scene of a jolly evening Saturday evening, the occasion being the annual smoke talk held by the "Massachusetts Beavers' club." Among the contributors to the entertainment in songs, dances and recitations were Messrs. Doan, McCarthy, Donnelly, Blackburn, McCarthy and Donnelly. A buffet lunch was served. Preceding the evening's enjoyment, a short business meeting was held at which officers were elected for the ensuing term. F. McCarthy, president; Joseph Duffy, treasurer. Mr. Leo Fitzpatrick presided at the piano.

# STEAMSHIP STRIKE OFF

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—A strike of the 400 masters, mates and pilots employed by the coastwise steamship lines, that threatened for the past four days to tie up coastwise traffic, was averted last night when the managements of the affected companies and representatives of the union agreed on terms of adjustment.

The Coastwise Transportation company, the New England Gas and Coke company and the Crowell & Thurlow company, and Messrs. Nalley and Brant of the state branch A. F. of L. and Captain Thomas E. Evans of Volunteer No. 4, Masters, Mates and Pilots association, met in conference last night and adjusted their grievances.

# PUSH TRAIN INTO A CANYON AFTER TAKING \$62,000

LAREDO, Tex., Sept. 18.—Bandits held up a passenger train Sept. 12, near Tamasopo, killed the express agent of \$62,000 in gold, robbed the passengers and then pushed the train down the mountainside into a deep canyon, according to an apparently reliable report reaching here today. The passengers were permitted to detain, thus preventing loss of life, the report said. On the following day, according to the report, a constitutional troop train sent out to apprehend the bandits was blown up at the same spot the hold-up occurred, resulting in the death of 40 soldiers.

# RECEIVERSHIP OF THE BOSTON & MAINE ROAD

MINORITY STOCKHOLDERS GIVEN RIGHT TO BE HEARD ON PETITIONS

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—The minority stockholders of the Boston & Maine railroad were given the right to be heard on a petition to intervene in the proceedings affecting receivership for that road today. The federal district court which accorded this permission, had previously refused to allow the filing of the petition. Judge Morton announced that he would hear the petition on its merits on Oct. 16. The petition which was filed by Asa P. French as counsel, seeks to attack the receivership proceedings, alleging that they were inspired by "collusive action" on the part of the road's directors who assented to the receivership recently. Counsel for the road was given permission to demand the petition when it comes up for hearing.

# ASSAULTS BY ITALIANS

AMSTERDAM, Sept. 18, via London.—A telegram printed by the Cologne Gazette today says the Italian attacks against the Austro-Hungarian position near Gorizia on the plateau of Komen which have been proceeding for two days are not to be compared with any battle, however bloody, of the Italian war up to the present but only with the great fighting in the west or the last Russian offensive.

The correspondent says the Italians are subjecting the front between Wippach and the sea to continuous assaults by thick infantry masses.

# HELD ON MURDER CHARGE

LAWRENCE, Sept. 18.—Michael Manning, charged with the murder of his wife, Lizzie, on Aug. 23, pleaded not guilty in superior court today and was ordered held for trial without bail.

Ernest W. Robinson, formerly with Putnam & Son, is now in the employ of Fender's Hat and Furnishings store, 214 Merrimack street.

# CIVILIZED INDIANS, MAN AND WIFE, ABOUT TO EXPLORE ALASKA WILDS



Louis Shtridge and his wife, both Chilkat Indians, are embarking on a scientific expedition among their native tribes scattered through Alaska. The exploration trip, under the auspices of the University museum of Philadelphia, is called the John Wamman expedition, and is being financed by Mr. Wamman, who is vice president of the museum. The explorers were both educated in mission schools in Alaska, and for some years have worked at the museum. They will take some of their records by photograph. The Indian officials will tell their history in their own language, and the record will be "canned" for the museum. Shtridge will then translate them into English. Mrs. Shtridge is the daughter of a Chilkat medicine man. The pair have been in Alaska 18 months collecting information, and Mr. Wamman's offer will permit the museum to extend the investigation. Last year Mr. Wamman purchased the Eskimo collection of specimens from the Copernicus river, where Stefansson found the blond Eskimos.

# LE MOYNE RE-ARRESTED

BOSTON, Sept. 18.—Released from state prison today after serving three years and five months for passing a worthless check for \$50,000 in this city, Francis Le Moyne was re-arrested immediately for the police of Doughkeepsie, N. Y. A charge involving a check for \$30,000 is awaiting him there. As in the transactions here it is alleged that he cashed a check without value to obtain \$3000 of bonds.

# FOR CONTROL OF BORDER

NEW LONDON, Conn., Sept. 18.—Contrary to the plan of the American members, the joint Mexican-American commission, which resumed its conferences here today took up again the consideration of plans for the control of the border. Neither the American nor the Mexican representatives would reveal the points discussed but both conceded that the consideration of Mexico's internal affairs was made secondary to the subject of the maintenance of peace along the 1800 mile international boundary line.

Luis Cabrera, chairman of the Mexican delegation, who presided today, admitted that reports of the "discussion of internal affairs of his country had brought to him an inquiry from the government as to why the question of the border was not made paramount.

# From Yesterday's Late Edition

## MATRIMONIAL

The marriage of John H. Higgins and Miss Nellie Ryan took place this afternoon at 5 o'clock at St. Peter's rectory, the ceremony being performed by the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. Keleher. The bride wore blue silk and a white picture hat and carried a bouquet of white flowers. Her sister, Mrs. Christine O'Malley, who wore blue silk and a white picture hat. The best man was William Norton. At the close of the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins, who were the recipients of numerous wedding gifts, including a purse of gold for the bride, the U. S. Cartridge Co. will leave this evening on an extended wedding trip. Present at the wedding were guests from North Adams, Winchendon Spring and Chelmsford.

## O'Donnell-McMenamin

Henry O'Donnell and Miss Mary R. E. McMenamin were united in the bonds of matrimony this morning, the ceremony being performed at St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock by the Rev. Dr. J. Keleher. The bride wore a light gray traveling suit with hat to match and carried a bouquet of white flowers. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Mary McKenna, who was attired in a blue silk suit and wore a hat to match; she carried white roses. The best man was a brother of the bridegroom, Charles O'Donnell. After the ceremony the bride and groom repaired to the Harristown hotel, where a wedding breakfast was served to the immediate relatives of the contracting couple. Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell left at noon for New York and upon their return they will make their home in this city.

## FUNERALS

CONNOLLY.—The funeral of William T. Connolly, a prominent lawyer of this city and former clerk of the municipal court, will take place this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home, 173 Mt. Vernon street. There was no service and burial will be private, took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Joseph A. Curran of St. Patrick's church. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. P. O'Donnell & Sons.

## HOPKINS NOT GUILTY

At the afternoon session of police court Judge Enright found Eugene Hopkins not guilty of having in his possession watered milk, finding that he did not have exclusive opportunity. Elmer D. Cole, who employed Hopkins, was fined \$50. The case was tried at the morning session. Both men live in Tewksbury. An account of the trial will be found on page five.

## ROPER MURDER TRIAL

Continued

### Selecting the Jury

The jurors called at the afternoon session yesterday were as follows: Richard Cormier, gate-tender of Shirley, was opposed to capital punishment. George W. Greenwood, machinist, of Belmont, was excused. John Thomas, teamster, of Lowell, was challenged by the commonwealth. Frank S. Locke, bookkeeper, of Stoughton, was excused on account of his having expressed an opinion. John P. Martin, laundryman, of Marlborough, was challenged by the defendant. William J. Vining, carpenter, of Lowell, was excused after stating he had formed an opinion. Samuel Southall, janitor, of Somerville, was excused for the same reason. Chester F. Warren, teamster, of Somerville, was challenged by the defendant. Joseph W. Griffin, teacher, of Holliston said he had formed an opinion and was excused. Thomas H. Higgins, contractor, of Melrose, was challenged by the commonwealth. Henry B. Hildreth, retired postmaster of Townsend, was opposed to capital punishment. Henry C. Quirbach, cigarmaker, of Lowell said he had expressed an opinion and was excused. Horace H. Hill, draughtsman, of Arlington, was also excused. John T. Lynch, real estate, of Cambridge was challenged by the defendant. William H. Gallagher, clerk at city hall, Lowell, said he had formed an opinion. Harrison P. Higgins, mechanical engineer of Somerville, also formed an opinion. Daniel A. McDonald, laborer, of Everett was excused for the same reason. Horatio F. Fiske, salesman of Waltham, had formed an opinion and was accepted by the commonwealth and defendant, he being the tenth juror accepted. Almonzo A. Thompson, janitor, of Natick, was excused on account of being a member of the grand jury. David Bird, wool sorter, of Lowell, had formed an opinion and was excused. Hugh McLaughlin, shoemaker, of Ashland, was opposed to capital punishment. Leroy S. Staples, watchmaker, of Waltham, the 33d man called, was challenged by the defendant. Everett W. Brown, conductor, electric car of Reading, said he had formed a definite opinion and was excused. George A. Morrison, grocer, of Marlborough, had been excused. Carroll W. Roman, clerk of Wakefield, had also formed an opinion. Leroy L. Parker, carpenter, of Newton, was opposed to capital punishment. James F. O'Brien, foundryman of Watertown, was excused for the same reason. Charles A. Kellogg, printer, of Newton, was challenged by the commonwealth. John Costigan, foreman of Newton, was challenged by the commonwealth, but was challenged by the defendant. Edward J. Bergin, paperhanger of Cambridge, had formed an opinion and was excused. Patrick G. Colleary, letter carrier of Marlborough, had been previously excused. William H. Kelleher, shoemaker of Marlborough, was accepted as the 11th juror. Barth F. Creedon, clerk of Malden, was opposed to capital punishment. Fred F. Martin, salesman of Medford, was excused. Maurice Lynch, civil engineer, of Melrose, had been previously excused. James W. Neagle, carpenter, of Littleton, was opposed to capital punishment. John A. Henderson, pattern maker, of Everett, also was opposed to capital punishment. Alfred N. Miner, Jr., insurance man of Newton, was the 100th man called.

He was challenged by the commonwealth. George W. Brockway, watchmaker, of Waltham, was challenged by the defendant. Edward J. Meehan, teamster, of Lowell, was opposed to capital punishment. James M. Manson, jobber, of Hudson, was agreeable to the commonwealth, but was challenged by the defendant. Dwight H. Dimock, farmer, of Billerica, was excused on account of being hard of hearing. Clarence W. Gates, tire repairer, of Holliston, was challenged by the defendant. Richard T. Murphy, machinist, of Ashland, was opposed to capital punishment. Norman Q. Stewart, coal dealer, of Everett, was challenged by the defendant. Louis N. Brandt, shoe worker, of Hudson, was challenged by the commonwealth. Alexander Reed, salesman, Townsend, said he was opposed to capital punishment. James E. Yonmans, inspector, Somerville, was challenged by the commonwealth. Arthur Dupont, carpenter, Lowell, was challenged by the commonwealth. Walter K. Badger, real estate and insurance, Reading, said he was opposed to capital punishment. Frank R. Nickerson, stable keeper, Cambridge, said he was opposed to capital punishment. Clarence R. Barnard, clerk, Malden, was opposed to capital punishment. Charles Burbank, stenographer, Stoughton, had formed and expressed an opinion. Also opposed to capital punishment. George E. Stone, shoemaker, of Marlborough, was the 12th juror drawn. Oscar R. Kristenson, watchmaker, Waltham, was accepted to take the place of Horatio Fiske and this completed the panel.

### The Jury Selected

1—William H. Kelly, teamster, Cambridge.  
2—Albert C. Ashton, manufacturer, Somerville.  
3—John A. Provost, foreman, Woburn.  
4—John McTague, wool sorter, Chelmsford.  
5—George A. Anderson, carpenter, Wakefield.  
6—Robert B. Hunter, cable man, Somerville.  
7—Hiram C. Gage, gardener, Chelmsford.  
8—Francis A. Manion, freight clerk, Medford.  
9—Edward T. Wall, rubber worker, Reading.  
10—William H. Kelleher, shoemaker, Marlboro.  
11—George E. Stone, shoemaker, Marlboro.  
12—Oscar R. Kristenson, watchmaker, Waltham.  
Albert C. Ashton was chosen as foreman of the jury, which was completed at 2:15 o'clock.

### After the Jury had been completed,

the jurors were given half an hour to select their relatives that they would be confined on the case for a time. Lawyer Wilson of the defense stated that in his opinion the trial would occupy at least 10 days. The hours of the court were agreed upon from 10 to 1 and 2 to 5. Tomorrow a view of the Roper gun-louvers in Tewksbury will be taken. Then the men will return to Cambridge and examine plans, etc.



Brown broadcloth gives this fetching garment cut with a round yoke outlined by three heavy cordings which match the stitched lucks of the smart belt. The deep hip pocket lids are set off with broadcloth buttons, but those that close the coat are brown bone. The little beaver tippet is chic.

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## NEW YORK MARKET

Stocks	High	Low	Cl
Alta Chalmers	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Am. Bond Sugar	92 1/2	91 3/4	92 1/2
Am. Can.	65 1/2	64 3/4	65 1/2
Am. Coal	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am. Gas & E.	8 1/2	8 1/4	8 1/2
Am. Ice & L.	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am. Locomo	58 1/2	57 3/4	58 1/2
Am. Lumber	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am. Meat	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am. Smeat & L.	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am. Sugar	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am. Sugar Ref.	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/2
Am. Tobacco	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am. Union	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am. Wool	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Am. Zinc	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/2
Baldwin Loco	92 1/2	92 1/4	92 1/2
Balt. & Ohio	90 1/2	89 3/4	90 1/2
Beth Steel	57 1/2	56 3/4	57 1/2
Br. Harp. Iron	86 1/2	85 3/4	86 1/2
Cal. Fruit	22 1/2	21 3/4	22 1/2
Cal. Petr. Co.	49	48 1/4	49
Canadian Pac.	180 1/2	179 1/4	180 1/2
Cast. I. Pipe Com.	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
Cast. I. Pipe Co.	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/2
Cast. I. Pipe Co.	61 1/2	61 1/4	61 1/2
Ches. & Ohio	66	65 1/4	66
Chi. & Gt. W. Ind.	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
Chi. & Gt. W. Ind.	13 1/2	13 1/4	13 1/2
Chi. R. I. & Pac.	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Col. Fuel	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
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# BIG TANKS USED BY THE BRITISH MADE IN U. S.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The British "tanks," the armored motor cars used in recent assaults on German trenches in northern France so successfully to attract world-wide attention, were built for the most part in Peoria, Ill., in the form of caterpillar tractors, designed many years before the war began to meet some of the difficult problems of modern farming.

Except for their armor, their machine guns and their crews, thousands like them are in use today in the United States, in plowing, digging ditches and other labors less heroic than war.

M. M. Baker, vice-president of the Holt Manufacturing company, explained here yesterday that it was machines made by his company at its Peoria plant that had huddled German trenches, walked through forests and crawled over shell craters in the face of intense gun fire.

Sold 1000 to Britain  
"We have sold about 1000 caterpillar tractors to the British government," said Mr. Baker. "We have had nothing to do with putting armor on them, or placing machine guns on some of our men at Aldershot, Eng., recently were notified that the British government intended to arm some of the tractors and use them for work other than the usual towing of big guns."

"Germany had some of these tractors before the war began, and although I do not understand just how it occurred, I believe she may have got others since then. We have sent some to France and some to Russia."

"So far as I know, up to the recent appearance of the armored cars, the tractors were used only to tow big guns. I understand that Germany used about 40 of them in the war, and recent photographs show that the British are using some of them now for the same purpose."

Can Go Over Almost Anything  
"Mr. Baker said he did not know how many of the 1000 tractors sent to England had been armored and put in service as land battleships, nor did he know what equipment the British war office had placed upon cars to be used in this war."

"It is true," said Mr. Baker, "that these tractors can go over almost anything, or through almost anything. They can straddle a trench, go through a swamp, roll over logs, or climb through shell craters like a cat of juggernaut."

"I do not mean to say that they crawl along the ground just like a huge caterpillar. In a thick forest, if they encountered trees they could not brush out of their way, they could easily be used to uproot them and clear their own paths."

Mr. Baker said the tractors sent to England weigh about 15,000 pounds each, develop 120 horsepower and are built of steel. The caterpillar feature, he explained, is of the utmost importance. Speaking broadly, the tractor crawls on two belts, with corrugated surface on either side of the body. The corrugated surface is on the ground. On the inside of the belts, on each side of the body, are two lines of steel rails, making four lines in all. These rails are in short sections, jointed, and operate over a cogged mechanism which actually hauls them along with their belt attachment as the tractor moves ahead and picks them up again, so that the car runs on its own self-made track continuously. The short joints in the rails make it easy to turn to right or left.

The body is supported by tracks with five wheels, something like small railroad tracks. These wheels never touch the ground, but run upon the steel rails.

In the ordinary tractor about seven feet of belt and rails are on the ground at one time. Mr. Baker said that the machine could bridge any trench that was not wider than the length of track it laid on the ground at one time. The "boom" might hit the far side of the trench far below the top, and the "stem" would undoubtedly sink a little but the tenacity of the tractor, he declared, would enable it to go ahead and climb out.

U. S. Government Experimenting  
The width of track used on the machines sent to England, Mr. Baker said, was 24 inches. He declared that the ground pressure is about 20 pounds per square inch, which is less than the weight of a man or horse.

He suggested that the British authorities probably had lengthened the track on the tractors used in trench work, giving them even greater power to surmount obstacles.

"We've been making these tractors for the British government for a long time," said Mr. Baker, "and have not talked much about it. Since their recent use in storming trenches I have seen published reports that led me to believe the secret would come out anyway pretty soon, so I decided it might as well be told now."

Although he would not discuss the matter it was understood the United States war department is experimenting with armored tractors somewhat like those now in use on the British battle line.

# BRITISH BEAT ALONG SOMME

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A British official communication issued last evening gives a more complete account of the fighting in the Somme region of France of Sept. 15-16. The communication says:

"The attack was launched at 6.20 o'clock the morning of the 15th on the front from the Leuze wood to Pozieres. The enemy's position consisted of a triple line of entrenchments, connected by strong subsidiary trenches. In addition to this the enemy was holding some advanced positions, with machine guns in trenches, works and shell holes behind these fortifications, and at a distance of some 7000 yards from our front the enemy had recently constructed and wired a fourth line of trenches in front of the Le Transloy-Bapaume road."

"Supported by more than a thousand guns of all calibers, the hostile defense was formidable. Punctually our infantry, accompanied by heavy armored cars, moved forward to the assault close under cover of our field artillery and barrage."

"The front of the German line was carried everywhere except at two points, namely, on the high ground between Ginchy and the Eluze wood, and at the Fourreaux wood. Neglecting these places, the infantry swept forward around them, and by 10 o'clock in the morning had captured the whole of the village of Pozieres, with its strong position, and advanced to a position beyond the village."

Demoralized by Armored Cars  
The outskirts of Martinpuich and Courcelles also were reached about the same time. The last line of the enemy's defense was in the course of the afternoon. The Northumbrian and London Territorials, Scottish and English New Army divisions, with troops from Canada and New Zealand, shared with our Guards the credit for these successes."

"On our right the enemy maintained his hold on the high ground northwest of Leuze wood, and our efforts to dislodge him were not successful. At the Fourreaux wood, however, the enemy broke to surrender when both his flanks were turned, and by 11 o'clock the whole wood was in our possession."

"We thus gained not only practically the whole of the ground between the Courcelles Valley and the River Somme, but are well down the forward slopes. Thanks to our excellent artillery observations thus afforded, we are in a position to inflict heavy punishment on the Germans."

"Our armored cars gallantly led the action, knocking out hostile machine guns and inflicting heavy losses by their machine gunfire, enfilading the German trenches and causing indescribable demoralization in the enemy's ranks."

"On the night of the 15th the enemy began to counter-attack with forces hastily brought from all directions. These counter-attacks were repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. The New Zealand troops, after gaining their objectives on the 15th, were particularly heavily counter-attacked, and not only stood their ground and punished the enemy severely, but even made some progress."

Most Effective British Blow  
"On the 15th our troops made further progress, especially in the direction of Les Boeufs. In the course of the above operations and in close connection with them the new Army troops have skillfully and gallantly extended our gain south of Thiepval, seizing trenches and capturing hundreds of prisoners."

"The result of the fighting is of great importance and is probably the most effective blow which has yet been dealt the enemy by the British troops."

"The damage to his morale is probably of greater consequence than the seizure of definite positions and the capture of between 1000 and 5000 prisoners."

"To date since the first of July the British forces alone in the Somme battle front have met and engaged 35 German divisions, of which 25 have already been defeated and withdrawn exhausted."

"During the past week in the battle area 14 hostile aeroplanes have been reported as crossing our lines, while our machines have made between 2000 and 3000 flights across the enemy's lines."

Recent French estimates of the German divisions' strength ran from 15,500 men for two-battle divisions to 20,000 men for a conservative estimate. The total German forces engaged by the British in the Somme battle would be about 525,000, and those used up and withdrawn, 135,000.

STRIKERS IN CLASH  
Shouts of "Seal" Start Riots, Episode at Greenfield—Our Arrested for Throwing Stone

GREENFIELD, Sept. 19.—A small riot took place at the Wells Bros. division of the Greenfield Tap and Die corporation at 6 o'clock last evening between about 50 striking tinnermen and workmen. Steve Kuznick, a tinnerman, was arrested for hitting a workman with a stone. Cries of "Seal" incited the trouble. No one was seriously injured.

# MOST DRAMATIC BATTLE OF THE BRITISH ARMY

## All Kinds of Men From the Ends of the Earth Took Part in Mighty Conflict September 15—All Records in Ferocity of Fighting Surpassed

BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE, Sept. 18, via London, Sept. 18.—The most dramatic and picturesque battle of the British army in all its two years in France was fought on Sept. 15. Here is the story of how all kinds of men from the ends of the earth took part in this mighty conflict.

Canadians, New Zealanders, English, Scottish, Irish, Newfoundlanders and Americans are among the men of many countries who took part in the new historic battle and with them there went into action those armored motor cars, called "tanks," which are to the credit of a quiet officer of engineers. Today when the Associated Press correspondent was calling on a Canadian brigadier it was a "tank" called "The Corbin Rouge" looking like a prehistoric monster in a skin of modern armor and with engineers inside, which took him across the field of shell craters, weaving its way up to the door of the brigadier's dugout. The shipper brought him a "tank" called "The Corbin Rouge" looking like a prehistoric monster in a skin of modern armor and with engineers inside, which took him across the field of shell craters, weaving its way up to the door of the brigadier's dugout.

"Then the correspondent went over the ground which the Canadians had taken up to the edge of the village of Courcelles. Later they stormed the village. He met many Canadians, but when he asked some of them what part of Canada they hailed from they replied: "The same country as you do—the United States." There were men with the accents of Missouri and New England and others, who on the soil of France, hailed one another in the French tongue of Quebec.

"We got into a big show all right," said the Americans, "and that is what we came here for."

Canadians Made Good  
These men who had rushed to the attack of the ridges of the Somme pushed with machine guns and shells carried themselves by all accounts in a manner worthy of the traditions of the Civil war. It was the Canadians' first offensive on any big scale. They had stood the shock of attack at the second battle of Ypres, at St. Eloi, at Hill and Sanctuary west of it. It had been their fortune up to the present

to stand under blows rather than give them. They waited their chance on the Somme to make good, as they said, and they had it.

The night before the battle the staff officer in charge of that branch of the front showed the correspondent the Canadian objective. No home run was expected from them but only a sacrifice by to use baseball language, but they made a home run and brought in all the men on the bases. They gained their first objective in an uninterrupted dash, absolutely on time. There was the trench which the "Byng Boys" held on the morning of the 15th, as the correspondent saw it today. Behind it and ahead of it shell craters were so thick that you could step from one to another. Having taken their objective their part was finished but Gen. Byng decided, despite the complicated time table methods of a modern offensive, that he could go further. The commanders of British corps made the same decision and worked in conjunction.

"Confound cost and everything else," said the Canadians, determined to make good on their first offensive. When word was given they started for Courcelles which they were ordered to take.

When no order came back for some time the staff, sitting in the center of the web of telephone and telegraph wires, over which was flashing the news of the progress of the great battle, began to wonder if the Canadians were in trouble. But presently they got word that the charge had swept beyond the village and that the Canadians had been so busy digging in that they had not time to send news. It was explained that they thought that it would be taken for granted that they had got there. Among those who "made good" was a battalion of French-Canadians, the kind of men you see in times of peace working their farms in Quebec or bending over the benches of a factory in New England. "We had luck with us and we forced it," one of the Canadians said. "It was up to us to do so, that's all." At one place in the village the attackers were held up for a time by a strong fortification which the British with machine guns. "Well," as one

officer said, "we did not have to tell the men what to do. They stalked that strong point, man to man moving around it, and got it."

Life and Death Fight  
But the exploit of the Canadians is only one of the many exploits which may be told now of what the soldiers, humorously called "the tank offensive," having reference to the new armored motor cars. There was a London division with orders to reach their objective in a given time. In front of them in high ground was a fastness of machine guns which either the artillery nor the trench mortars had been able to reduce. However, it was the business of the Londoners to hold on there until further notice. "These orders were all very simple and direct," said one of the Londoners afterward. "We got stuck, but those Germans in their fort knew that it was a life and death fight and all that was required of them was to put their fingers on the triggers of their machine guns when we charged. We left it to the blooming tanks. We had to take chances of being machine gunned as we got into our backs if the tanks could not do the job, and the tanks wiped out the machine guns."

The battalions whose luck failed them in this drive on the six mile British front were driven back by the cunningly arranged enfilading line of machine guns in strong points which neither the artillery nor the tanks could conquer. As the wounded from these battered battalions came hobbling down the shell swept road they were cheered by the news of the successes at other points.

More than once, facing counter attacks, the British have gone out to meet the German charges in the open with the bayonet and the Germans have done the same. All past records in ferocity of fighting seemed to have been surpassed during the latest of the fighting. "It was a life and death fight and all that was required of them was to put their fingers on the triggers of their machine guns when we charged. We left it to the blooming tanks. We had to take chances of being machine gunned as we got into our backs if the tanks could not do the job, and the tanks wiped out the machine guns."

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EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 19.—Massachusetts and Rhode Island troops on the border will begin to entrain for home today.

The first of the Bay State troops to start will be Field Hospital Company No. 1, while the first Rhode Island troops to be sent north will be the ambulance company and Troop B of the cavalry. These three units will leave here tonight.

It is expected here that all of the rest of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island troops will be ordered home within the next few days.

Had to Draw Lots  
The New England troops to leave here today will board trains which are bringing Tennessee troops to El Paso. The trains are expected to reach here early this morning.

There are four troops of Rhode Island cavalry here. Major Richards, the commanding officer of the Rhode Island squadron, was ordered last evening to have one Rhode Island troop prepared to entrain today. It was stated that one troop on the train which is to be sent to Rhode Island tonight.

It was the privilege of Captain Dean of A Troop to elect to have his troop go. He declined to do so as did all of the other Rhode Island captains. Then lots were drawn by the four captains, and Captain Richards of B Troop drew the "two home" card.

When the men of the Bay State and Rhode Island units, which have been ordered home, learned last night that they were to go they threw their hats in the air, cheered and hugged each other for several minutes. Then they began to pack up. A Tennessee troop will take over the horses and quarters of B Troop, Rhode Island.

There was a story circulated in official circles here last night that one infantry regiment at a time from each state will be sent home.

It is believed here, however, that the Fifth and Ninth Massachusetts infantry regiments will be ordered to leave here within a week, possibly before Sunday.

COLD ALONG LAKE ERIE  
RUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 18.—Heavy frosts and a temperature of 30 degrees were reported today from points along the south shore of Lake Erie. Ice formed on still water in the bulk vineyards were protected by smokestacks. Considerable damage to garden truck was reported.

# STATE PRIMARIES HELD IN \$3000 EACH IN DEATH AUTO CASE

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A contest between Gov. Whitman and Samuel Seabury, the democratic candidate for nomination for governor, to obtain the progressive nomination for that office was the most interesting feature of the New York state primaries today. It was not expected that more than 20,000 of the 46,000 enrolled progressives would take part in the primaries. Both men asserted that they would win the progressive nomination.

Gov. Whitman's friends asserted he undoubtedly would win the republican nomination over Senator William M. Bennett by a large majority. Mr. Seabury's candidacy for the democratic nomination was unopposed. The names of both Seabury and Whitman appeared as candidates for the independence league nomination.

Another contest of importance was that of Robert Bacon, formerly United States ambassador to France, and William M. Calder, a former congressman, for the republican nomination for the United States senate. Mr. Bacon was supported by Col. Roosevelt who based his attitude upon Mr. Bacon's support of universal military service. The candidates for the democratic nomination for senator are former Gov. Thomas F. Conway and William F. McCombs, formerly chairman of the democratic national committee.

The polls open at 3 p. m. and remain open until 9.

Dance tonight, Highland Hall.  
GIRL LEFT ON TRACKS  
Miss Mary Royce Assaulted by Three Strangers at Monson and Left Cautious

MONSON, Sept. 19.—Miss Mary Royce, aged 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Royce of Green street, was assaulted late Sunday night on Main street by three unidentified men. She was struck on the head, the blow rendering her unconscious, and was then thrown into a ditch. She was found on a track more than a quarter of a mile away by a car crew an hour afterward. She was taken to her home, where she was resting comfortably late last night.

According to her story, she was on her way home from a friend's house when she noticed three men following her. She hurried to get away from them, but when they approached closer she ran. She remembers being struck on the head, but knew nothing more until she was picked up. She has a bad bruise over her right eye, a deep cut in her head and bruises all over her body.

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as to give almost instant relief, thereby giving the sufferer the necessary confidence. He will then continue the use of Plant Juice until he has fully recovered his health. To these "sensible" individuals, who want to be "shown" the following signed statement from Mr. Charles P. Leslie, Billerica Centre, will be of interest.

Mr. Leslie is a well known business man of that town, and has many friends and acquaintances in this city. He said:

"For 20 years I have been troubled with my stomach, which felt as if it were being twisted with a vise, and I would be in a perspiration from pain and weakness. I could not keep anything solid in my stomach, as it would ferment and form gas, and I would be in constant agony afterward. I had terrible headaches, dizzy spells, could not sleep at night, and was all bloated with gas, which pressed on my heart, and caused constant pain. I got so weak that I did not care whether I worked or not. I had severe pains in my back, the muscles in my limbs were stiff and sore, and my entire body ached. I heard so much about Plant Juice that I got a bottle to try it, although I had not much faith in any medicine. Now, I am thankful to say that I can eat anything, I sleep well, and have no more aches or pains, am not constipated, have no more headaches or dizzy spells, in fact, feel completely cured, and am able to enjoy all of my meals now without suffering afterward. I am glad to give this endorsement for Plant Juice."

The Plant Juice Man is at Dows, the Druggist, in Merrimack square, where he is daily meeting the local public, and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy. Free samples given.

CHARLES P. LESLIE

FOURTH AUTO THEFT  
Haverhill Police Believe Boys Are Responsible for Week's Series—Big Touring Car Taken

HAVERHILL, Sept. 19.—The fourth automobile theft in a week this city was reported to the police last night by Dr. A. J. Grandin. His \$1000 touring car, which he left outside his office on Emerson street, was stolen. The police suspect that boys are implicated in all of these thefts as in the three previous instances the stolen machines were found abandoned after the gasoline had been exhausted.

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Six of the ten men and women indicted by the grand jury soon after the death of Miss Margaret Ward of a suddenly from the effects of an illegal operation performed in Roxbury pleaded not guilty in the Suffolk superior criminal court yesterday and were held in \$3000 each for trial Sept. 25 by Judge O'Connell.

They were Charles R. O'Connell, a Peabody lawyer and former member of the state legislature, James O'Connell, George A. Bartwell, Rhona Pittfield, Geraldine Pittfield and Margaret Stewart. All are charged, with being accessories after the fact in the operation performed upon Miss Ward, July 5, 1916.

Charles R. O'Connell, James O'Connell and George A. Bartwell, all indicted for conspiracy to conceal a felony, were also arraigned and pleaded not guilty. They were held in \$1000 each for trial.

Other persons who have been indicted in connection with the case of the state legislature, James O'Connell, George A. Bartwell, Rhona Pittfield, Geraldine Pittfield and Margaret Stewart, all indicted for conspiracy to conceal a felony, were also arraigned and pleaded not guilty. They were held in \$1000 each for trial.

Probably Charles R. O'Connell will be tried first. He is a brother of Mrs. Minnie Frothingham of the West End, whom the grand jury tried to locate but failed. His case was postponed yesterday, but as the parties interested were not ready to go on, the trial was postponed until later.

E. J. Carney of Salem is counsel for Charles R. O'Connell, Walsh and Walsh, the firm of ex-Governor Walsh is counsel for James O'Connell and George A. Bartwell, Michael L. Sullivan of Salem, who was attorney of the Mansfield of Fenneroff Inn fame, in the "Foodies" Ryan breach of promise case, is counsel for Shanahan and Saxton; and B. J. Kilian is counsel for Rhona and Geraldine Pittfield and Margaret Stewart.

The body of Miss Ward was found in an automobile in front of the home of her brother-in-law, Police Sergeant Charles Duffy of Salem. At the time four men who were in or near the auto were arrested. Investigations were started by James O'Connell and Suffolk counties by the grand jury, and indictments were returned by both.

A James O'Connell and Bartwell and Saxton were further indicted by the Suffolk grand jury for alleged unlawful removal of Miss Ward's body.

EIGHT RALLIES FOR COLE HELD IN BOSTON  
HE SCORES REPUBLICANS AS BLOCKING PROGRESSIVE MEASURES

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Gen. Charles H. Cole began his Boston campaign for the democratic nomination for governor last night at eight rallies in Dorchester, Roxbury and South Boston.

Although a light rain fell at intervals, large numbers of democratic candidates at every scheduled stop. In South Boston in particular, where Gen. Cole was born and attended school, an enthusiastic reception was given him, and the announcement that South Boston was to have its first governor of Massachusetts was everywhere greeted with applause. Senator James H. Bronson and Harry Monks divided the duty of delivering introductory speeches.

Declaring that his candidacy in opposition to Mansfield was backed by the real leaders of the democratic party, Gen. Cole contended that only through his nomination could the party hope to defeat the republican nominee. He discussed every personal ambition in the light and declared that he was chiefly interested in the success of democratic state measures which had been stifled by a republican administration.

"The present legislature and administration has blocked every recommendation made by Gov. Walsh," Gen. Cole said, "and through that opposition progressive principles in the state have been seriously injured. Such needless measures as the bill for the extension of free education and the initiative and referendum machinery which would prevent the interests controlling the government of the commonwealth have been absolutely ignored by the party in power. Gov. Walsh was the most progressive governor Massachusetts ever had and it is to advance his proposals that I am seeking the nomination."

A point which Gen. Cole never failed to emphasize in his addresses was the contention that republican leaders were openly seeking the nomination of Mansfield because they believed him the weaker candidate.

The Cole party appeared at Fields Corner, Hamilton street and Geneva street, Andrew square, Dorchester and Telegraph street, Broadway and Dorchester avenue, Flood square and Roxbury Crossing.

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# MANY LIVES LOST BY BURSTING OF DAM

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Many lives have been lost and enormous damage has been caused near Gablonz, Bohemia, by the bursting of a dam to the valley at Weisswasser, according to a dispatch to New York from Amsterdam quoting a telegram received there from Gablonz.

The on-rushing waters carried away numerous glass pebbling factories and it is feared that there are many victims. The bridges were not destroyed but are in danger of collapse. The damage is very great.

The village of Desandorf, Tiefenbach, Tannwald, Schunberg, Schwarow, Grosshammer and Haratz are inundated. Ten bodies of victims have been recovered and identified.

UNBALANCED BY MOVIE KILLING  
WORCESTER, Sept. 19.—Mentally unbalanced by a scene she witnessed in a moving picture show in a Worcester theatre last week, Mrs. Amelia De Pashi, aged 21, of 12 Imperial road, was removed yesterday to Memorial hospital. The picture which preyed on her mind depicted the killing of a girl, and it put her into such a nervous condition that Dr. W. H. Miles of Newbury was called to attend her.

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP  
PITTSBURG, Pa., Sept. 19.—The second round of the intercollegiate individual golf championship was played on the links of the Oakmont Country club today. Davidson Herren was opposed by H. C. Corkran, both of Princeton; Howard Maxwell, Princeton; by J. N. McDonald, Illinois; Percy Parker, Princeton; by J. W. Hubbard, Harvard; and C. L. Weems, by John Simpson, both of Illinois.

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# HUGHES OPENS SECOND SPEECH MAKING TRIP

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE TO ADDRESS CONVENTION AT PEORIA, ILL.

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 19.—Republican leaders of Illinois assembled here today to attend the republican state convention and listen to Charles E. Hughes open his second speech-making campaign in the central western states. The convention is to nominate University trustee and adopt a platform. Mr. Hughes is to leave for Springfield after the convention adjourns.

At Springfield this afternoon he will deliver the principal address at the republican day ceremonies at the Illinois state fair and in the evening speak at a mass meeting to be held at the state arsenal.

HUGHES AND FAIRBANKS SPEAK  
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 18.—When Charles E. Hughes, republican presidential candidate speaks here Saturday night, Charles W. Fairbanks, the candidate for vice president on the same ticket, will preside at the meeting and act as chairman.

BANKER KILLS HIMSELF  
Chicago Man Anticipated Investigation by State Officials—Four Private Bankers Are Indicted

CHICAGO, Sept. 18.—The suicide of Joseph Tuma, a private banker in Chicago, has led to the indictment of four private bankers, who were the latest developments yesterday in Chicago's private bank failures and a general inquiry into these institutions.

Tuma's bank, the state attorney said, was to have been investigated. The banker's counsel, however, said the bank is solvent.

Tuma stood on a pier, fired a shot into his head and fell into Lake Michigan.

The state's attorney announced that the grand jury yesterday had voted true bills against Michael and Stephen Michnisk, on charges of receiving deposits while their private bank was insolvent, and against Moses Thrasher and his son Emanuel, who conducted another private bank, on the same charge.

Runs continued yesterday on some private banks known to be solvent and which had no difficulty in meeting the demands.

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## WORK ON HOSPITAL TO BE STARTED SOON

### Municipal Council Heard Plans Explained Today—Many Petitions—Clean-Up Campaign

Further steps for the erection of the contagious hospital were taken this morning by the municipal council at a regular meeting, when it was voted to instruct the architect to draw specifications to call for bids for the erection of the administration building, shack and boiler plant. The specifications will be ready next week at which time bids will be called. The tenants in the building owned by the Varnum heirs and located at the Pawtucketville end of the Pawtucket bridge will be notified to vacate at once in order that the building may be removed to make way for the bridge approach.

Several garage petitions were granted and considerable business was transacted. The meeting was called to order by Mayor C. Clough.

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## MRS. KLIPPER APPEARS AGAINST BLACKMAILERS

### Was Trapped and Fleeced in New York Hotel—Four of the Alleged Gang May Escape Prosecution

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Four members of the alleged \$10,000,000 band of blackmailers may escape prosecution, federal officials admitted today.

Mrs. Regina Klipper, a divorcee, of Philadelphia, the government's chief witness, arrived under guard of federal agents to appear against the alleged blackmailers at the hearing this afternoon.

Hinton G. Clough, of the United States department of justice, said was confident Mrs. Klipper would identify Edward Donahue, Henry Russell and Mrs. Helen Evers as directors of the organization.

"The case against the others under arrest," Clough said, "is doubtful. I am satisfied, however, with our case against the first three."

IMMUNITY FOR CROCKER

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Release on bond of several members of the alleged blackmail syndicate arrested by federal agents today.

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## LOWEST DEATH RATE IN HISTORY OF COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The lowest death rate in the country's history is shown in preliminary vital statistics for the year 1915, made public today by the census bureau. The rate, 12.5 per thousand, is based on reports from 25 states and 41 cities with a total population of about 67,000,000. In 1914 the percentage of deaths was 13.6, the lowest recorded up to that time. The average rate during the period 1901-05 was 16.2.

## BODY OF THOS. HART IN HALE'S BROOK

### RECOVERED THIS FORENOON—HE HAD WORKED AS A FARM HAND

The body of Thomas Hart was found floating in Hale's brook, above the Chelmsford street hospital this morning and was taken to the rooms of Undertakers O'Connell & Mack for identification.

The body was discovered about 11:30 o'clock by J. H. Reynolds of Pawtucket street and dragged to shore. The undertaker was notified and Medical Examiner Meigs was summoned. A search of the man's pockets revealed nothing to lead to identification.

Early in the afternoon parties, who called at the undertakers' rooms, identified the body as that of Thomas Hart, a boy had been working as a farm hand for James Birtwell. He is survived by one sister, Margaret Hart.

## PLOT TO CUT CANADA'S WINTER FOOD SUPPLY

AGENCY OF CANADIAN GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE DETECTIVE INVESTIGATING

BARCELONA, Ont., Sept. 19.—It was learned here today that agents of the Canadian government had private detectives are investigating what is alleged to be a plot to curtail Canada's winter food supply.

More than 50 canning factories in Ontario are operating under heavy guard.

Investigation of a fire which destroyed a large canning factory here the night of Sept. 11, is said to have developed the fact that the fire started from the outside. The loss was \$200,000. An investigation is being made of a fire which destroyed the St. Thomas Dehydration company's plant at St. Thomas, the night of Sept. 18, with a loss of about \$50,000.

## POLICE FIND NEW CLUE IN BILLERICA CASE

STORY TOLD BY WOUNDED MAN MAY LEAD TO ARRESTS—STATE POLICE BUSY

A new clue which may lead to important information has been obtained in the Billerica shooting case, and is being thoroughly investigated by State Officer Barrett and Officer O'Brien of the town police today. Tony Lagana, the injured man, is improved and it is understood that he gave the police the clue that is expected to assist in the solving of the mystery.

Both Officers Barrett and O'Brien are out of town today for the purpose, it is understood, of testing the strength of a story told by Lagana, who talks more freely now than when at first taken to the hospital. What the new information is could not be learned but it is supposed to relate to some trouble that Lagana had with fellow countrymen some time ago.

Two Italian families reside on Oak street, North Billerica, near where the shooting occurred. They are all at home and have been interviewed.

Dance tonight, Highland Hall.

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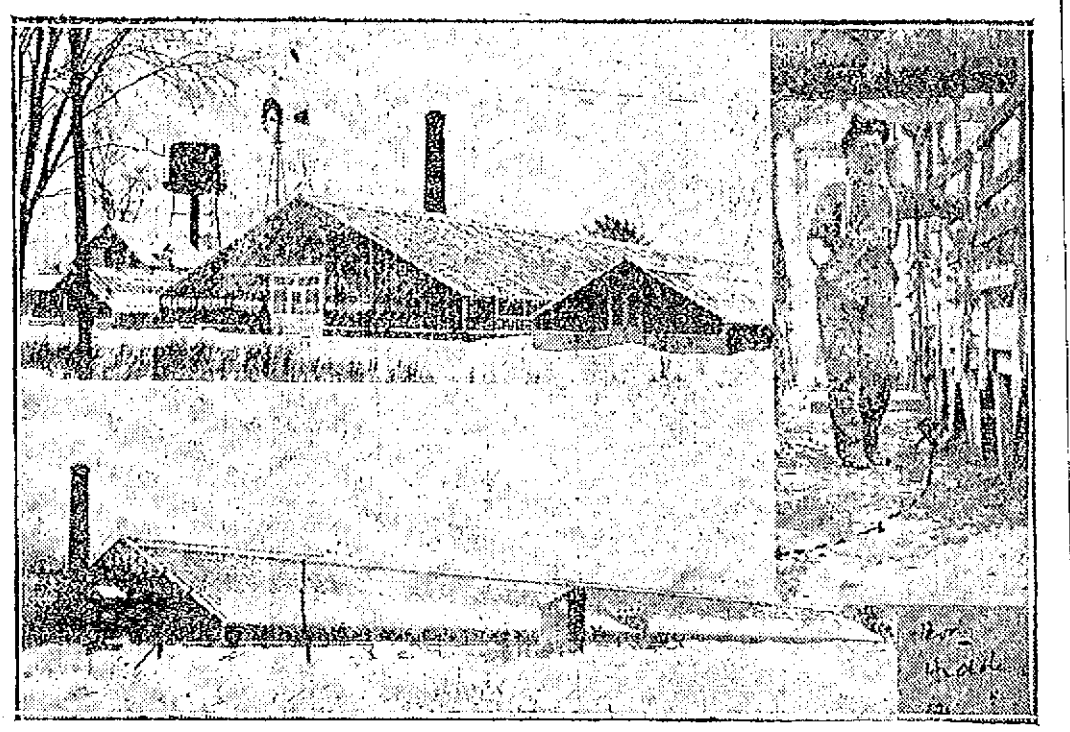
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CENTRAL STREET

# PROPER JURY VIEWS SCENE OF THE MURDER



VIEW OF GREENHOUSES IN WHICH ALBERT ROOPER WAS MURDERED, AND MARK ROOPER, WHO FOUND THE BODY. THE CROSS INDICATES WHERE BODY WAS FOUND

## Left Cambridge This Forenoon With Judge Stevens and Lawyers for Government and Prisoner—House of Mrs. Fox, Witness for Defense, Also Visited—Testimony Tomorrow

The jurors who were chosen yesterday at the court house in East Cambridge to try Albert J. Roper, who is charged with having murdered his father in the latter's greenhouse at Tewksbury on the night of March 1st, spent the greater part of the day in viewing the places which will be called to their attention during the progress of the trial.

Court opened at ten o'clock this morning and after Major Robert J. Crowley, deputy district attorney, who is conducting the case for the commonwealth, explained plans and blue prints to the jury, William H. Wilson, Esq., senior counsel for the defense also addressed the jurors.

It was agreed that a view be taken of the scene of the murder and other places and Sheriff John F. Fairbairn and Court Officers Edward J. Burns, Willard Jones and Frederick Penbody were placed in charge of the jurors to see that they would not separate, nor talk to any persons and also that they would be brought back safely.

It was shortly after 10:30 o'clock that seven automobiles containing the jurors, court officers, counsel for the defense, Major Crowley and an assistant and members of the press left the court house at East Cambridge.

The first place visited was a fruit store on Wait street, Roxbury, where the jurors were told to note the location of the telephone, and next they were taken to 15 Wait street and viewed the apartments formerly occupied by Mrs. Jessie Fox, the principal witness for the defense. These premises were examined in minute detail for the contention of the defendant is that on the night of the murder he was in this house and caring for two of Mrs. Fox's children. The lock on the outer door, the location of the different rooms and various other apparently minor details were viewed.

After leaving Roxbury the procession moved to the New Richmond hotel in Tremont street, Boston. At this place the jurymen did not leave their machines but were shown the location of the place.

The automobiles then went to the Reading depot where a stop was made and then to Reading square, where electric cars pass that go to and from Tewksbury.

After spending several minutes in the square, the machines proceeded along the Lowell road towards Tewksbury and a stop was made at Foster's corner and also at Foster's turnout. At the latter place the jury was told to note the location of the telephone box belonging to the Bay State Street Railway Co.

The next place visited was Chandler's turnout and the jury was also instructed to note the telephone at this place. The Chandler residence was also pointed out and the jurymen were told to note a certain stone wall on the left hand side of the road, certain houses, the general lay of the country in the vicinity, etc.

It was nearly 1:30 o'clock when the jurors arrived at the Roper residence in Tewksbury. They were shown the exterior of the house, asked to note the size of the building, the location of the rear door and the distance from that door to the door leading into what will be known as the "long" greenhouse.

Upon entering the greenhouse they were told to pay particular attention to the number of aisles, the location of the wheels which operate the ventilator, the thermometers near each wheel and also the height of the flower benches from the floor.

The packing room, so-called, was also visited and there Messrs. Crowley and Wilson called the attention of the jurors to various things, also in the boiler house, and later the door leading into the "long" greenhouse was inspected.

Next the jurors were taken across several fields in order to get an idea of the general layout of the territory in the vicinity and were also shown the Chandler house which is on James street near the main road.

The party then went over to Mud Pond in Tewksbury and after having a general view of the place came to their city where dinner was had and during the latter part of the afternoon the jurymen returned to Cambridge where they were placed in one of the court-rooms which has been fitted out as a temporary hotel for the jurors, 12 small iron beds having been placed in position for the men.

The formal opening of the trial and the taking of testimony will take place tomorrow morning when opening addresses will be made and witnesses for the commonwealth heard.

Shortly after the opening of court this morning Major Crowley addressed the jurors, said: "This complaint is made by the commonwealth against

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GERMANS TAKE OVER 2500 RUSSIANS

BERLIN, Sept. 19, via London.—Taking the offensive on the Stokhod river the Germans yesterday stormed a strong Russian bridgehead and drove the Russians across the river, the war office announced today. More than 2500 Russians were captured, as well as 17 machine guns.

# RED SOX LEADING IN GAME WITH THE TIGERS

## Boston and Detroit in First Game of Series Which May Decide Pennant

DETROIT, Mich., Sept. 19.—Detroit and Boston met today in the first game of a three-game series which may decide the American league baseball championship. Boston has a margin of two points on Detroit. Weather conditions were perfect.

The Batteries

The batteries were Mays and Thomas for Boston, and Dausa and Stange for Detroit. The umpires were Evans and Owens.

Boston Scored in First

Boston scored one run in the first inning. Shorten walked, went to second on an infield out and scored on Lewis' single to centre.

Dausa passed three men in the first inning.

Shorten Bush Injured

In the first inning Bush, the Detroit shortstop, hit a foul ball which bounced sharply from the plate and struck him in the right eye. After receiving medical attention he returned to the game and struck out.

Score: Boston 1, Detroit 0.

In the second inning both teams were retired without scoring.

Score: Boston 1, Detroit 0.

Neither team was able to send a man across the plate in the third inning.

Score: Boston 1, Detroit 0.

GIANTS WIN FIRST

National First Game: Pittsburgh 2, New York 2.

## NO MORE 6 RIDE TICKETS ON BAY STATE

### GERMANS YIELD MORE GROUND TO ALLIES

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The Bay State Street Railway Co. today filed notice with the public service commission announcing the withdrawal on Oct. 15 of the six-ride tickets, sold heretofore for 25 cents on its lines in Fall River. This action, it was stated, was based on the recent report of the commission denying the company's petition for an increase in fares to six cents. Under the new schedule for a flat five-cent rate is in accordance with its findings of Aug. 31 will be decided by the commission without a public hearing.

## ENGINEER R. M. WHITTET VIEWED HALE'S BROOK

Refus M. Whittet, assistant chief engineer, came to this city this morning for the purpose of surveying Hale's brook, the engineer's visit to Lowell being at the request of Dr. Allen McLaughlin, state health commissioner, and the purpose of the survey to determine whether or not the sanitary conditions of the brook require attention.

Accompanying the engineer were Rep. John J. O'Connell, who urged the investigation, Rep. Dennis A. Murphy, Rep. Fred Crosby and Senator George E. Marchand.

## SHONTS REJECTS PLAN TO END TROLLEY STRIKE

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—An effort by a committee representing business interests to settle the city's transit strike and avert a general sympathetic labor strike failed today, when Theodore P. Shonts, president of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co., refused to consider a plan suggested by the committee to reopen negotiations with the employees.

WALKOUT ON THURSDAY

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Mayor Mitchell called into conference with him today representatives of the chamber of commerce and Merchants' association to try to avert the threatened strike of 700,000 workers in this city in sympathy with the street railway employees. The mayor has received warning from the labor leaders that unless he and the committee of business men settle the car men's strike by Thursday night, a general walkout of virtually all the labor unions in this city and vicinity will be ordered.

No plan has been proposed for the consideration of the mayor and the business men's committees. President Shonts of the Interborough Rapid Transit Co. said the company would have no further negotiations with the car men's union but was willing to consider any proposition from the mayor.

The street railway strike was extended to Queens county early today when many conductors and motormen of the New York and Queens county railroad went out in protest against the use of their members to operate cars and break the strike in Manhattan. Union leaders asserted that 14 street car lines in Queens were tied up, but the company claimed that 50 per cent. of its cars were in service and that not more than 300 men had left their places.

While the mayor's conference was in progress, William B. Fitzgerald, union organizer addressed a meeting of striking car men. The general strike is rolling along in full glory, he declared. "If the mayor and public service commission do not settle things by Thursday next they will find other things to entertain the police beside 11,000 striking men."

## CLASH AT MEETING OF B. & M. STOCKHOLDERS

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—A special meeting of the stockholders of the Boston & Maine railroad, held today at the request of certain minority interests quickly developed into a clash between Asa T. French and Conrad W. Crocker, attorneys representing various holders over the question of proxies. Mr. Crocker, counsel for the Minority Stockholders Protective association, announced that he resented an inference drawn from the remarks of Mr. French that the latter represented the associations from which he declared. Mr. French had severed all connection.

After a few charges the matter was adjourned and Mr. Crocker seconded a motion by Mr. French for the appointment of a committee to examine proxies.

## ARRESTED FOR LYNN POLICE

Thomas H. Latham, who gave his address as Appleton street, this city, was arrested this afternoon by Sgt. Petrie for the Lynn police. He is charged with non-support of his minor children.

\$10 a Barrel

Owing to the continual rise in flour and all other BAKERS' SUPPLIES the following advance in prices will go into effect Wednesday, Sept. 20th:

Domestic Bread, loaf.....6c, 12c

Rye Bread, loaf.....10c

Rolls and Cookies, doz.....12c

Kaiser Rolls, doz.....20c

Doughnuts, doz.....20c

Pound Rounds, doz.....25c

Fancy Cakes, doz.....30c

Fancy Macaroons, doz.....25c

Leaflets, doz.....12c

Cocoanut Cakes, doz.....12c

Cocoanut Taffies, doz.....12c

Macaroons, doz.....12c

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# MAN OF 73 MAKES 600 MILE TRIP

CAPT. ARTHUR MCINNIS OF ST. PETERS SAILED TWENTY-TWO FOOT SLOOP

GLoucester, Sept. 19.—(Mailed only by Capt. Arthur McInnis of St. Peter's, Cape Breton, 73 years old, one-time fisherman captain of this port, and Michael Foxworthy of Cape Nova Scotia, 66 years old, the 22-foot sloop Lily May arrived here yesterday morning from St. Peter's, after a successful voyage of 600 miles.

Capt. McInnis sailed the vessel alone from his home in St. Peter's to Cape Breton. There he picked up Foxworthy and the two men brought the ship here. They slept and ate aboard during the entire voyage. The old fishermen will remain here a few days and then start on another voyage.

The ship is not equipped with any motor auxiliary.

## MISTOOK PATROL FOR JETNEY

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Sept. 19.—The municipal court yesterday Judge Caplin imposed a fine of \$25 and costs of \$2.50 on Joseph McDonald, a member of the Coast Artillery corps from Louisiana, who was charged with breaking down young trees on Jenkins avenue.

Word was sent to the police station about the pranks of McDonald and two companions. Acting Capt. Smart ordered officers McLean and Mulholland with the police patrol to investigate.

On the arrival of the patrol the men mistook it for a jetney and hailed it for a ride, when they got to the police station.

## RECORD AUTO TRIP

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A new record for a coast-to-coast automobile trip was set yesterday by C. H. Vincent, who arrived here yesterday in a machine which has been driven from San Francisco to New York in 5 days, 5 hours and 21 minutes, breaking the record made by S. E. Stevens of 6 days, 15 hours and 20 minutes. Vincent said that special permits to violate the speed laws were arranged for in several cities.

## GEN. CARRANZA BETTER

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 19.—The draft of a new constitution for Mexico is to be considered immediately by General Carranza, who has recovered from his recent indisposition.

# SLEEPYTIME TALES

## THE LITTLE BROWN MOUSE

Once upon a time a little brown mouse ran out from her home into the pantry to see if she could not find a bit of cheese. Sometimes the cook left bits of places on the shelf and the little brown mouse thought she did it so it could have something to eat.

Out she ran as fast as her little legs could carry her and straight into the cat who was eating cream from one of the pans on the pantry shelf. The cat was eating so fast that it didn't see the little brown mouse and so the mouse scampered away as fast as she could. She was so frightened that she ran out of the pantry and into the library and up on the table. In her haste she knocked off the cover from the inkwell that always stood on the table and her long tail was covered with ink.


Of course, everywhere she walked her tail dragged after her and left a long black stain on the table. The little brown mouse had never been in this room before as there was nothing to eat there but she knew the cat liked to go in there to hide its nap. Pretty soon she heard the cat coming toward the room and she looked around the place to hide, but it was too late. The cat had seen her and in a second they were chasing around and around the room as fast as they could. Poor little

laura mouse was so frightened she could hardly run but she knew if she didn't stop would be the last of her. So she ran on running as hard as she could and at the same time looking for a place to hide or at least to crawl in away from the cat's sharp claws.

At last she saw that the drawer of the table was open and with one jump she landed on the table and in the drawer she saw the very fairest corner. The cat put in its paw but the little brown mouse was out of its reach and there she lay, her little heart going pit-a-pat while the cat ran around to see if there was not some way to get at the mouse.

As the cat moved around it kept getting its tail into the ink that was still wet on the table and soon its tail, too, was covered with wet ink. Just then it came the cat's mistress and when she saw the cat with its tail covered with ink she thought it had upset the ink and she was very angry with it. She carried it out and shut it up in a dark closet.

This tickled the little brown mouse so that it squeaked with delight and ran home as fast as it could to tell its mother how the cat was blamed for upsetting the ink and had to be shut up in the dark.



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# JUDGE M'INTIRE ILL AT PROBATE COURT

JUDGE LAWTON PRESIDED AT CONTEST ON DOYLE WILL CASE TODAY

The uncontested session of probate court was suspended for more than half an hour this forenoon owing to the sudden illness of Judge McIntire, the presiding justice. So serious was his illness that an attempt was made to secure Judge Lawton, who had just finished a sitting in the contested probate court, but he was not available and Judge McIntire finally returned to the court room after he had been attended by the court officers. He was able to remain during the transaction of the rest of the business.

In the contested session, Judge Lawton presided, three witnesses were heard when the will of the late Thomas Doyle of this city was offered and contested. In the will Mr. Doyle bequeathed practically all his belongings to William P. Hunt of this city, with whom he lived. This is contested by relatives who claim that there was another will, which disposed of the money in a different manner. Judge Lawton will issue a decree allowing the will and an appeal will be taken by James F. Owens, attorney for the contestants, J. Gilbert Hill and Hon. Edward Fisher, attorneys for the petitioner.

In the uncontested session the following wills were allowed: Patrick Boringham, Lowell; Martha J. Kimball, Lowell; Elizabeth L. Kimball, Lowell; Patrick Murphy, Lowell.

## ADMINISTRATIONS

Administrations were granted as follows: Nellie Handlett, Lowell; John Flynn, Lowell; Abdullah Hassan, Lowell; Nedra J. Gozels, Detroit, Mich.; Frank McGee, Lowell; Margaret A. Perlman, Lowell; Anthony F. Hogan, Lowell.

## FRED THOMPSON EXHUMED

Body of Jack Hurwitz, Drowned in Vineyard Sound, Placed in Same Grave at Brookline

BROOKLINE, Sept. 19.—The body of Fred Thompson of 45 Union street, Boston, who was drowned with Jack Hurwitz in the swimming place from Falmouth to Oak Bluffs on Labor day, was removed from the grave at Brookline cemetery yesterday afternoon, a few hours before the body of Hurwitz was lowered in the same grave.

# Miserable From Stomach Trouble

Felt Wretched Until He Started To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

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"For two years, I was a miserable sufferer from RHEUMATISM AND STOMACH TROUBLE. I had frequent DIZZY SPELLS, and when I took food, felt wretched and sleepless. I suffered from Rheumatism dreadfully, with pains in my back and joints, and my hands swollen.

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lowered in the same grave. Thompson's body was claimed by relatives.

The body of Thompson was buried with a Jewish service last Thursday, but later it was discovered that the body was not that of Hurwitz, as the latter's body was found the following day. The burial of Hurwitz's body yesterday afternoon was in accordance with the Jewish faith. Rabbi Meyer Fine officiating.

# UNITED STATES IS NOW THE LENDER TO EUROPE

DOLLAR DISPLACING POUND AS STANDARD—CAN AMERICA RETAIN FINANCIAL LEADERSHIP?

PARIS, Sept. 19.—Max Hoeschler, in an article in the Temps yesterday, contrasts America's financial position now in respect to foreign countries with what it was before the war. The article says:

"Then the United States was sending to Europe from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000 in interest on its borrowings, \$150,000,000 to \$200,000,000 spent by tourists, \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000 to expatriates and \$20,000,000 to \$30,000,000 in ocean freights.

"Since the war the United States has imported \$750,000,000 in gold and has paid back a considerable amount of its previous borrowings. Increased its foreign trade by \$2,250,000,000 yearly and loaned to foreign countries \$1,470,000,000, so that the dollar now has replaced to a considerable extent the old sovereignty of the English pound abroad.

"Whether the United States will retain with her deficient financial organization the position recently won

# HEAD OF 'COXEY'S ARMY' WANTS TO BE SENATOR

JACOB S. COXEY, OF MASSILLON FILES PAPERS AS INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE

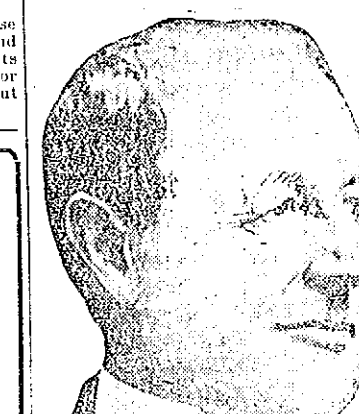


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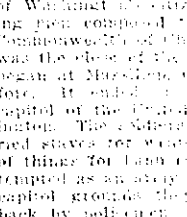
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# WOMAN'S BODY FOUND ON COUCH IN BASEMENT

BOSTON POLICE INVESTIGATING POSSIBLE CASE OF MURDER OF MRS. JUSTIN

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—A possible case of murder in which the victim was Mrs. Belle Justin, was being investigated by the police of the South End district today. The woman's body was found on a couch in the basement of her home, with a small receipt card, which should be her left eye. Indications, according to Police Captain Linnell, pointed to violence as the cause of death. Pending an autopsy by Medical Examiner Leary, three other inmates of the house were detained by the police.

## HIS REASON FOR SUICIDE

J. D. WILLIS OF WHITMAN Wrote He Could Not Bear Separation From Children

BROCKTON, Sept. 19.—The marriage last month of Ivan B. Chan, son of Plymouth to Miss Vivienne M. Willis, whose husband, James H. Willis of Whitman, shot himself last April, after killing his 3-year-old daughter, has resulted in making public the life of Willis' sister, Mrs. Milton Thayer of this city, a letter Willis wrote his mother just before he killed himself.

Willis took his life the day before his presence was required in the superior court at Plymouth, his wife having instituted divorce action. In his letter Willis told his mother he could not stand being away from his children and did not want his little daughter to suffer the disgrace. To a sister he gave \$1000.

Mrs. Thayer lost her suit for the \$1000 and her suit for the furniture, given by her husband to his sister, is waiting trial.

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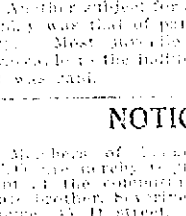
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Trimmed Hats in new fall and winter styles. Regular \$1.00 value. Pennant Day.....\$2.98

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Dressing Combs in black, white and colors; regular 10c value. Pennant Day......4c



## RIBBON DEPT.

All Silk, light blue and white satin taffeta, 5-6-7 inches wide, regular 25c and 35c value. Pennant Day......19c

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## WOMEN'S COAT and SUIT DEPT.

20 Suits that sold from \$14.50 to \$22.50, broken sizes, in checks and plain colors, choice. Pennant Day.....\$7.50

SUITS—High Grade Suits, desirable garments, a good assortment for women and misses. Regular value \$22.50 to \$29.50. Pennant Day.....\$12.50

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## SMALLWARE DEPT.

Royal Safety Pins, best quality steel, sizes 1, 2 and 3. Regular value 5c. Pennant Day 3 for 5c

Favorite Sewing Cotton, full 200 yards, white and black. Regular value 3c. Pennant Day 5 for 11c

Bias Sewing Tape, sizes 2, 3 and 1, white only. Regular value 15c and 19c. Pennant Day......9c

Standard Shields, best quality rubber, size 3 only. Regular value 13c. Pennant Day.....11c a Pair

Twilted Tape, full 10 yds. in a piece, 1/4 to 3/8 in. wide only. Regular value 15c. Pennant Day.....7c a Piece

Fresh Water Pearl Buttons, in different styles. Regular value 5c a card. Pennant Day.....3 Cards for 5c

Best Quality Pearl Buttons, in white only. Regular value 10c a card. Pennant Day 5c a Card

Eureka Hooks and Eyes, white and black. Regular value 5c a card. Pennant Day.....2 for 5c

Banner Pins, full 300 count, best steel pins. Regular value 3c. Pennant Day.....3 for 10c

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## WAIST DEPT.

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White Lace Waists; regular value \$4.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.88

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Women's Fibre Silk Sweaters, all colors; regular value \$7.50. Pennant Day.....\$4.50

Women's Angora Sweaters, all colors; regular value \$7.50. Pennant Day.....\$4.50

## MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPT.

Women's Drawers and Corset Covers, lace and humberg trimmed; regular value 50c. Pennant Day......29c

Envelope Chemise, Night Robes and Long White Petticoats; regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day......49c

Combinations, Night Gowns and Envelope Chemise, counter soiled; regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day......88c

Long White Petticoats, Envelope Chemise and Night Robes; regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day......55c

Camisoles of crepe de chine and washable satin with lace insertion; regular value \$1.95. Pennant Day......88c

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise with lace insertion; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.88

## FURNITURE DEPT.

Solid Oak Chamber Rockers, cane seat. Regular value \$2.75. Pennant Day.....\$1.95

Fumed Oak Jardiniere Stands, octagon top, height 17 inches. Regular 55c value. Pennant Day......39c

Ladies' Folding Sewing Table, top with yard measure. Regular \$1.25 value. Pennant Day......89c

## DRAPERY DEPT.

800 yards of Scrim Remnants. Regular 15c to 25c yard value. Pennant Day......8c Yd.

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Scrim Curtains, with Dutch piece. Regular 75c value. Pennant Day......59c Pair

24x24 Tapestry and Satin Squares, suitable for pillow tops and chair seats. Regular values up to 38c. Pennant Day......49c

## DOMESTIC DEPT.

White Crocheted Bed Spreads, regular \$2.00 value. Pennant Day.....\$1.40

Pillow Cases, regular 12 1-2c value. Pennant Day......9c Each

Huck Towels, regular 12 1-2c value. Pennant Day......9c Each

## WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Women's Pure Silk Thread Hose, in black with white checks and white with black checks, in fashioned and seamless. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day 55c a Pair

Women's Fibre Silk Hose, high spliced heel, double sole, black only. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day......29c a Pair

Women's Sample Hose, black, white and a few colors. Regular value 15c and 13c. Pennant Day, 10c a Pair

Children's Silk Lisle Hose, in black only, sizes 6 to 9, subject to very slight imperfections. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day, 15c a Pair

Children's Cotton Ribbed Hose, sample line of 15c and 19c quality, black and white, while they last. Pennant Day.....10c a Pair

## House Dress Dept.

House Dresses in good patterns and makes, sizes to 48. Regular value 69c. Pennant Day......39c

New House Dresses, in good quality gingham and percales, sizes to 46. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day......65c

Afternoon Dresses, in all makes and colors, sizes to 47, good wide skirts. Regular value \$1.49. Pennant Day......88c

All New Dresses, long and short sleeves, good quality chambray, sizes to 46. Regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.29

Elastic Belt Aprons, in good sizes, colors and makes. Regular value 79c. Pennant Day......65c

All-Over Aprons, closed and open back. Regular value 59c. Pennant Day......45c

Pretty Percale Aprons, rick rack trimmed, with or without bib. Regular value 29c. Pennant Day......21c

Boudoir Caps, in crepe de chine. Regular value 69c. Pennant Day......35c

Children's Drawers, made of good cotton, lace and humberg trimmed. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day......2 Pairs for 25c

Women's Drawers and Corset Covers, lace and humberg trimmed. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day......25c

Long White Petticoats, humberg trimmed. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day......29c

Kimono Aprons made of good quality percale, with cap to match. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day......29c

## Handkerchief Dept.

Men's Handkerchiefs, hemstitched, banded and soft finish; regular value 5c. Pennant Day, 3 for 11c

Women's Plain Handkerchiefs, soft finish; regular value 5c each. Pennant Day......6 for 25c

Men's Tape Border Handkerchiefs, large size; regular value 5c each. Pennant Day......7 for 25c

Women's Tape Handkerchiefs, ready to use; regular value 5c. Pennant Day......7 for 25c

## Women's Neckwear

Muslin Vestees, with back and roll collar; regular value 29c. Pennant Day......21c

Large Cape Collars, hemstitched and lace edge; regular value 69c. Pennant Day......47c

An Odd Lot of Collars in high or low necks, slightly soiled; regular value 25c and 39c. Pennant Day......5c Each

Plain Hemstitched Collar and Cuff Sets; regular value 69c. Pennant Day......47c

Oriental Lace Vestees, with standing or flat collar; regular value 59c. Pennant Day......47c

## JEWELRY DEPT.

Leather Fob Chains with gray silver and gilt chains and buckles; regular 25c and 35c value. Pennant Day......19c

Bar or Belt Pins in silver and gilt, black and enamel; good value at 19c and 25c. Pennant Day......10c

Fancy Beaded Bags with chain handle; regular \$1.50 value. Pennant Day......89c

Gold Plated Cuff Links, good assortment of engravings; regular 25c value. Pennant Day......17c

Moire Silk Hand Bags with inside fitting of mirror, change purse and pocket; regular \$1.25 value. Pennant Day.....\$1.00

Pretty Color Silk Belts, extra wide; Regular \$1.00 value. Pennant Day......75c

## Pennant Day Law

- 1—Goods must be priced 25 to 50 per cent lower than they can be bought elsewhere.
- 2—The prices are the lowest of the month.
- 3—Values are as stated, not exaggerated.
- 4—The goods on sale that one day only.

## UNDERPRICED BASEMENT SECTION

Children's Night Gowns, made of good cotton, lace and humberg trimmed, sizes 2 years to 10 years. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day 29c

House Dresses, made of percale. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day......55c

House Dresses, made of the best quality gingham, all perfectly. Regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day......98c

White and Colored Seersucker and Crepe Petticoats. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day......49c

White and Colored Waists, all the newest styles. Regular value \$1. Pennant Day......49c

White and Colored Waists, counter soiled. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day......29c

Children's Middy Blouses and Skirts to match. Regular value 29c. Pennant Day......49c

Colored Striped Sport Middy Blouses. Regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day......69c

Women's White and Colored Sport Skirts. Regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day......69c

Women's Wool Sweaters. Regular value \$1.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.00

## MEN'S CLOTHING DEPT.

Men's Pants in blue and black seiges, also fancy gray stripes, heavy woolens; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.19

Men's Mouse Color Corduroy Pants, finished with cuffs or plain bottoms, belt loops, hip straps; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.00

Men's Top Coats in fancy mixtures only, some are rainproof, plain or patch pockets, most all sizes; regular value \$10.00 and \$15.00. Pennant Day.....\$7.75

Students' Bags in black leather, size 14 in., will wear well; regular value \$1.25. Pennant Day......79c

Men's Raincoats in tan shades, double texture, well stitched and cemented, all sizes to 14 breast; regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.98

Men's Suits in light and heavy weight, all sizes to 46 stout, also long to 42, not all sizes of one pattern; regular value \$15.00. Pennant Day.....\$10.75

Men's Blue Serge Suits in fine twill with plain or patch pockets; regular value \$8.00. Pennant Day.....\$5.50

Men's Pants in dark gray stripes and good fall weight; regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.19

Men's Suits in dark stripes and mixtures, in good fall weight and tailored strong, a real good work suit; regular value \$7.50 and \$9.00. Pennant Day.....\$5.00

Young Men's School Suits in the latest (pinch) belted back, in dark fancy browns, sizes 31 to 38 only, pants finished with cuffs; regular value \$12.00. Pennant Day.....\$8.00

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## SHOE DEPARTMENT

Men's Black and Tan Calfskin Shoes, in lace, blucher and button style, these represent the newest fall styles. They are the factory rejects. Regular \$3.50 and \$1.00 values. Pennant Day.....\$2.39

Men's Endicott Johnson Work Shoes in black and tan serviceable leathers. Regular \$2.50 values. Pennant Day.....\$1.87

Boys' School Shoes in all sizes up to 5 1-2, satin calf, kangaroo and scout shoes; regular value \$1.75 and \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.37

Boys' School Shoes, gun metal, calfskin, blucher, medium and heavy weight, also Scout Shoes; regular value \$2.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.63

Women's Fall Boots, gun metal, patent calf and vict kid, lace and button boots, in all sizes, from 2 to 5; regular value \$2.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.45

Women's Kid Slippers, soft kid, turned sole with one or two straps; regular value \$1.50. Pennant Day......95c

Women's Shoes, odd lot of lace and button boots, in sizes from 2 to 5 only; regular \$1.50 and \$2.00. Pennant Day......98c

Women's Low Cut Shoes, 150 pairs, odd pairs and chop worn; regular value 50c and \$1.50 to close out—Pennant Day......35c

Infants' Soft Sole Shoes in black, white and combination colors, sizes 0 to 4; regular value 25c. Pennant Day......10c

168 Pairs of Low Cut Summer Shoes in a good assortment of sizes; regular value 75c to \$1.25. Pennant Day......50c

Girls' School Shoes in gun metal, patent and kidskin, button and blucher style, all sizes up to 2; regular value \$1.75 and \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.35

Boys' and Girls' Black and Tan Sneakers in mostly all sizes; regular value 50c. Pennant Day......29c

Daylight Basement

Women's Knit Underwear Dept.

Women's Silk Lisle Union Suits, loose knee, tight knee and ankle length, low neck, short sleeves, low neck, no sleeves, broken sizes. Regular value \$1.00 and \$1.25. Pennant Day......59c

Women's Lisle Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, loose knee, all sizes. Regular value 25c and 39c. Pennant Day......13c, 2 for 25c

Women's Jersey Vests, high neck, short sleeves, size 36 only. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day......12 1/2c

Children's Light Weight Jersey Ribbed Pants, in all sizes. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day 10c

Infants' Black Cashmere Hose, in sizes 1 to 6 years. Regular value 25c. Pennant Day......12 1/2c

Infants' Lisle Hose in pink, blue, white and black, sizes 3 to 4 1/2. Regular value 12 1/2c. Pennant Day......2 Pairs for 15c

Infants' Gingham Dresses, in checks only, sizes 2 to 4 years. Regular value 69c. Pennant Day......39c

Girls' Gingham Dresses, in plaids, stripes and combination colors, in sizes 8, 10 and 12 years. Regular value \$1.19. Pennant Day......83c

Girls' White Petticoats, lace or humberg trimmed, sizes 10 to 14 years. Regular value 50c. Pennant Day......39c

Boys' Norfolk Suits, blue chevrons, sizes 7 to 15 years. Regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.98

Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, blue serge, gray and brown mixtures, sizes 8 to 15 years. Regular value 79c. Pennant Day......59c

Boys' Tommy Tucker Suits, blue, gray and brown, sizes 3 to 5 years. Regular value \$2.00. Pennant Day.....\$1.98

Boys' Corduroy Suits, Mouse shade and golden brown, sizes 3 to 8 years. Regular value \$4.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.95

Boys' School Shoes, gun metal, calfskin, blucher, medium and heavy weight, also Scout Shoes; regular value \$2.50. Pennant Day.....\$1.63

Boys' Heavy Weight Jersey Ribbed Union Suits, close crech, sizes 28 to 42. Regular value 59c. Pennant Day......39c

Men's Worsted Sweaters, crimson, navy, black, oxford and dark gray, brown and green, V neck. Regular value \$3.00. Pennant Day.....\$2.00

Men's Half Hose in black and white, with double heel, sole and toe. Regular value 12 1/2c. Pennant Day......4 Pairs for 25c

Men's White Canvas Gloves







# RIVER PROBLEM AGAIN --GEN. BLACK OBJECTS

HE WANTS PROOF THAT LARGE COAL USERS WANT THE RIVER MADE NAVIGABLE

Unless the coal users of the Merrimack valley come out strongly for the navigation of the Merrimack river, there is grave danger that the project will be set back many years or doomed to final failure. Although the scheme has the approval of federal engineers, General Black, chief of the engineers of the army, has indicated that without the support of the coal users of the district he will not approve the plans for navigation from Hama's falls to the sea.

In order to get the opinion of Lowell business men and corporations and to put them on record as being favorable or otherwise, the board of trade has sent the following letter to 50 or more industrial leaders, at the same time making a strong plea that the work so far accomplished be not nullified for lack of Lowell support:

Dear Sir:

Last June the board of engineers for rivers and harbors of the United States recommended that the United States undertake the improvement of the Merrimack river from Black Rock to Hama's falls (just below Lowell), the cost to be divided between the state and the nation, and an 18-foot channel, complete in four years, to be provided.

The report of the board of engineers, embodying the foregoing recommendations, went to Gen. W. M. Black, chief of engineers, for approval or disapproval. Early this month Congressmen Gardner, Phelan and Rogers, representing the Merrimack valley, had a conference with General Black. He stated that the testimony indicated that the principal reason for valley consumers as a result of a navigable river would be effected upon coal; that the largest consumers of coal were the mills of Lowell and Lawrence; that the testimony indicated little or no interest in Merrimack river navigability on the part of representatives of most of those mills; and that he was reluctant to approve a project involving a very large outlay of money, and presenting many problems of difficulty, concerning which the principal beneficiaries were in general indifferent.

General Black's decision is virtually final, as Congress has in recent years made no appropriation for river improvement without the sanction of the chief of engineers. As a practical matter, if General Black disapproves the project at this time, Merrimack river navigation is dead for many years.

The Lowell board of trade has been firmly of the opinion that a navigable Merrimack would be of great value to Lowell and to every mill, business house and individual of Lowell. We, its officers, have, in the last three years expended much effort in the collection and presentation of evidence in support of an 18 foot channel from Lowell to the sea. We are convinced that if General Black's verdict is adverse, it will be primarily because of the indifference or opposition of the Lowell and Lawrence mills. We fully realize that each individual has an entire right to his opinion, whether that opinion accords with our own or not. Nevertheless, we believe that in this matter of great public moment it should be possible, if the projects fails, to place the entire responsibility for that failure where it will unquestionably belong.

To this end we respectfully request an answer to the following questions:

(1) Are you in favor of Merrimack river navigation substantially as recommended by the board of engineers of the United States army?

(2) If you were convinced that coal could be delivered to you at a substantially lower cost as a result of Merrimack river navigation, would you favor the project substantially as recommended by the board of engineers?

We shall be glad to have your views in detail, but we are sending a similar letter to other corporations of Lowell, large users of coal, for purposes of compilation, desirous of a categorical reply--if possible by the 25th instant--to the two questions above. You will readily understand that General Black, to whom we shall submit our letters and the replies, would naturally regard a failure to answer or an indefinite or equivocal answer as further evidence of the indifference to which he has already alluded.

Robert F. Marden,  
Pres. Lowell Board of Trade.  
John H. Murphy,  
Secy. Lowell Board of Trade.  
George E. Bowers,  
Chairman Waterway Committee.  
John Jacob Rogers,  
Vice Chairman Waterway Com.

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# PRES. WILSON REVISITS SCENES OF HIS BOYHOOD

ATTENDED FUNERAL OF HIS SISTER, MRS. HOWE, AT COLUMBIA, SOUTH CAROLINA

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 19.—President Wilson, who came here yesterday for the funeral of his only sister, Mrs. Anne E. Howe, left at 6:15 o'clock last evening for the summer white house at Long Branch, N. J. He will arrive at West Haven, N. J., shortly after 2 o'clock this afternoon and go by automobile to Shadow Lawn.

The special train bearing the body and members of the funeral party arrived here shortly before noon. Automobiles took the president and members of his family direct to the Presbyterian church at the residence of the president's sister, where the funeral was held. State officials gave no official recognition to his visit.

In the party were Joseph R. Wilson, the president's brother; John A. Wilson, a cousin; Mrs. Anne Cothran, daughter of Mrs. Howe; George Howe and Wilson Howe, sons; Miss Margaret Wilson, the president's daughter, and Dr. C. T. Grayson.

The last service took place inside an enclosure in the shaded graveyard, where are buried Mrs. Howe's husband, the father and mother of the president, and several other relatives.

All days in Columbia were at half staff during the funeral.

After the funeral the president took an automobile ride around Columbia, visiting relatives and places he had known in his boyhood days. He was accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, Miss Margaret Wilson and Dr. Grayson, the White House physician.

When the president's special train pulled out several thousand people thronged the station and stood silent with bowed heads. On his way to the station visited Mrs. James Woodrow, an aunt, who welcomed him as "Tommy."

Mr. Wilson also called at the Columbia Theological seminary, and was shown the chair and room used by his father as an instructor there. He was told of a plan to name a library planned by the seminary after his father. Afterwards he walked to the house planned and built by his parents and in which he lived for several years. There he talked with four small boys who now live in the house. Dr. Grayson asked one of them if he expected to be president.

"I would not wish anything like that on you," said Mr. Wilson.

The president plans to spend this afternoon and night quietly at Long Branch, and on Wednesday will resume active direction of his campaign plans interrupted by the illness and death of Mrs. Howe.

PASSED THROUGH WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—President Wilson passed through here early today en route to Long Branch, N. J., where he attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Anne E. Howe, yesterday. The train was due to arrive at 2:30 this afternoon at Westport, N. J., two miles from Shadow Lawn.

President Wilson expects to plunge actively into campaign plans tomorrow and to be finally engaged until election day. Later this week he will see Chairman McCormick of the democratic national committee and with him map out a program of receptions to delegations at Shadow Lawn and short speech making trips. His first speech away from Long Branch will be at Baltimore next Monday. Saturday he will speak to at least two delegations at Shadow Lawn.

From now on Mr. Wilson plans to make up for lost time and meet the criticisms of Charles E. Hughes, the republican presidential candidate with attacks of his own. Outside of his speech of acceptance he has done no campaigning up to the present. He has mapped out several points he wants to discuss, including the settlement of the Panama canal, railroad strike, the legislative record of the administration, the Mexican problem and European problems, the record of the republican party and subjects affecting progressives.

LARGEST LAMB DEAL

Denver Concern Buys \$500,000 Worth In Wyoming and Considering Purchase of More

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., Sept. 19.—Hatcher & Son of Denver have contracted with flockmasters of this district for \$500,000 worth of lambs, paying \$8.50 a hundredweight, and the animals now are being rounded up preparatory to trailing to the railroad. They will be shipped to Colorado farms for winter fattening, the shipping beginning Oct. 1. This is the largest lamb deal ever made in Wyoming.

It is also reported that the Denver men contemplate other large purchases which, if the deals go through, will curtail next year's wool crop, in the opinion of local experts, as the animals are to be slaughtered.

# NOVEL SENTENCE FINE OF ONE CENT AND IMPRISONMENT OF TWO MINUTES THE PUNISHMENT IMPOSED ON LUTHER BY JUDGE LANDIS

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—A fine of one cent and imprisonment of two minutes in a courtroom chair was the punishment imposed on Michael Levin by Federal Judge Landis yesterday. Levin, who is 29 years old, had been found guilty of falsifying his age to obtain a postoffice position.

Dance tonight, Highland Hall.

# AMUSEMENT NOTES

## OPERA HOUSE

Robert H. McLaughlin's unusual and much discussed play, "The Eternal Magdalene," was given its initial performance at the Opera House last evening before a large audience. The story was such as to hold the interest of the audience, and there were many interesting scenes, which the Emerson players made the most. There was the play selected by Julia Arthur for her retirement to the stage after a long retirement, and it afforded her an opportunity to display her emotional powers to the full. There is a touch of the melodramatic and the use of the melodramatic is injected into plays of the kind, but the leading theme of the drama is the social evil, which is discussed more fully than in many plays that have aroused widespread protest and opposition. This frank exposition of the condition and the social evil, for those who live therein is counterbalanced by the obvious "moral lesson," which the moral is brought home by a well-timed and powerful appeal, an unblinking discussion of immorality. It is a play of the modern scene, which divides those who see it into two irreconcilable camps, neither of which can get the other's point of view.

Much in "The Eternal Magdalene" is timely and of the day, and a discussion. There is a timely revival of Billy Sunday's revival methods, one of the ministers in the play using the very slang phrases that are attributed to the famous revivalist. Those who go to the theatre are said to "hit the sawdust trail," which is a reference to the fat collection of the fat collection of souls.

Despite the title, the play is built around Elijah Boudreau, "an ex-convict" who has been released from the red light district and who finances a campaign for its eradication. He is most sincere in his judgment and merciless in his action, but misfortune comes to him in ample measure and changes many of his views. At the beginning of the play he is the scourge of the fallen women of the town; at the close he is their defender and apologist, quoting "let him who is without sin among you cast the first stone." This change was brought about partly by the presence in his home of "The Eternal Magdalene," who is an abstract idea clothed in human form, and at her in the light of conscience and mercy.

The play was splendidly produced under the direction of Frank Wright and it was capably acted throughout. Mr. James T. Galloway made a strong and impressive "Elijah Boudreau," his scene with the boy, mother, being a fine piece of finished acting. As "A Woman of the Town," Miss Inez Hagan showed an intelligent appreciation of the play and in her intense scenes was most appealing. Miss Gladys McLeod was a captivating daughter and her lover, Mr. Ivan Miller as "John Boudreau" was a manly figure that won the sympathies of the audience from the start. Miss Rose Norton was convincing as the sin and the mother, and Mr. James H. Hayden gave a realistic performance of the impetuous son. Others who acted acceptably were E. J. Kast who played the part of a character work. Charles Wright, Paul Courteau and David Baker, who was a likeable Judge Boudreau and a very spirited evangelist. The production of the play was a fine piece of work and it conveyed the impression of wealth and good taste. There are many surprises in the unique play, but the great surprise comes at the close.

## KITH'S THEATRE

One of the feature acts at the Kith theatre this week is "The Dream of the Orient," a magnificent musical spectacle featuring Madame Makarenko and her beautiful Oriental troupe of dancers, including a group of musical and dancing numbers which are sure to please the audience. The company is a fine one, and the people who want to see it do not accomplish in the least the singing and dancing is not worth hearing or seeing.

The sketch of two scenes, the first depicting a young man, "Whittier," the opium pipe and going into a pleasant dream. In the other scene this dream is shown surrounded by a group of charming women, who dance and sing for him. The young man then joins the gathering and is given a great opportunity to show his agility. The program of dances is varied and included such famous and novel dances as the waltz, the tango, the foxtrot and the new dances. The costumes are of the latest fashion, and the music is most picturesque and pleasing. Madame Makarenko, a subject of the czar, is a delightful character, with several operatic songs, and she is a most charming and pleasing person. The company is a fine one, and the people who want to see it do not accomplish in the least the singing and dancing is not worth hearing or seeing.

Two young men booked as Will Merrissey & Co. prove a happy pair. They sing and give interesting selections, while their vocabulary of witty sayings has no end. One of the performers is an excellent pianist and his chief occupation during the act is to show his skill as a pianist. The pianist is an accomplished violinist, who delights in breaking the harmony of the orchestra and playing a violin solo. The pianist is a most charming and pleasing person. The company is a fine one, and the people who want to see it do not accomplish in the least the singing and dancing is not worth hearing or seeing.

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# AGENT OF LYMAN SCHOOL SHOT BY BOY

WESTBORO, Sept. 19.—Clarence A. Merrill of Westboro, visiting agent of the Lyman School for Boys, was shot in the right side yesterday afternoon by Howard R. McNamee, a 16-year-old Lyman school boy, who since last December has been employed in Marlboro by Timothy Brennan, a florist.

The boy claimed he came back to the school yesterday afternoon to see about being allowed to return to his home in Springfield. When he came into the school office there were present Supt. Elmer L. Coffeen, Mr. Merrill and Henry L. Chase.

Supt. Coffeen ordered the boy searched. Mr. Chase started to comply with the order when the boy stepped back and, crying, "Throw up your hands," shot Mr. Merrill.

Merrill grappled with the boy and threw his hand up as he shot the second time, the bullet going into the ceiling of the office. The boy was then overpowered with the assistance of Mr. Chase and the revolver taken from him.

When searched he was found to have in his pockets 270 22 calibre bullets, a long dagger, two watches, two flugs, a flashlight and \$15.75.

Dr. Albert Clark was called to attend Mr. Merrill, and removed him in his automobile to the Worcester city hospital. The boy was arrested by Chief of Police Thomas W. Humphrey and last night lodged in the lockup on the charge of murderous assault, to await the result of Mr. Merrill's wound.

Dr. Clark believes the bullet entered a rib.

The boy claims he bought the revolver in Marlboro.

The witnesses to the shooting included Edward H. Sullivan, a visitor from Wakefield, and Miss Clara Sweet of Westboro.

The McNamee boy, who appeared to be weak minded, was placed in the Lyman school from Springfield in 1913. His parents are dead.

Heared to exceptional advantage in the role of Patience in the pleasing and melodramatic play, "The Boy and the Girl," which is especially distinctive in the graphic way in which it portrays the emotions of a loving father who is unable to stand by and watch the marriage of the man who loves to an indifferent woman, who later proves unfaithful to him. Another highlight of the production is the play which is "The Inner Struggle," starring the accomplished stars, Winifred Greenwood and Franklin Blodgett. This is an extra feature which has been added to this bill. It is the story of a woman who makes her faithless husband believe that she is worth living and suffering, and in the ultimate redemption, Charlie Chaplin in "The Stormy Romance," is a real Chaplin feature which no one should miss seeing. These plays as well as others will also be shown at the Merrimack Square theatre today and tomorrow. During the last three days of the season, the theatre will be showing the recent Labor day parade which were especially taken by the Merrimack Square theatre. Come and see yourself in the movies.

## OWL THEATRE

The youngest star on the American stage, Virginia Davis, a mere slip of a girl of sixteen, will be seen at the Owl theatre this afternoon and evening, in the new Metro release, "The Light of the World." This is an extra feature which will be shown in the motion pictures of the recent Labor day parade which were especially taken by the Merrimack Square theatre. Come and see yourself in the movies.

## THIS WILL REMOVE HAIR OR FUZZY GROWTHS

(Toilet Tips)

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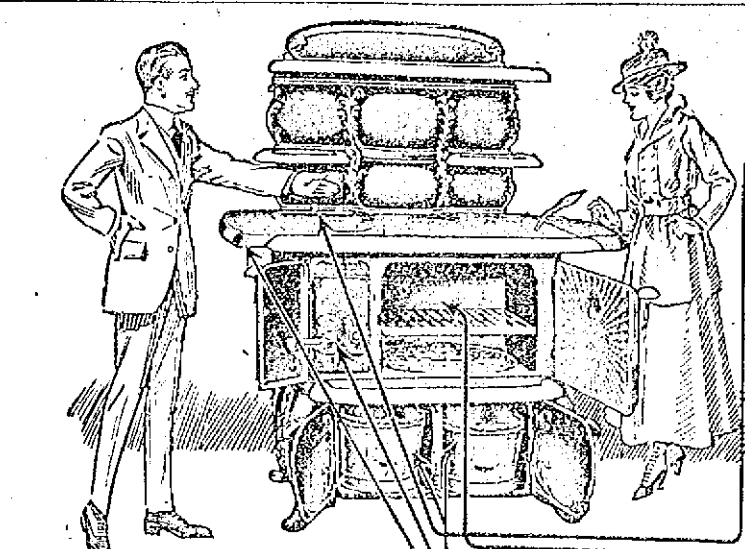
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## BALLOTS FOR PRIMARIES

SHIPPED TODAY

SECRETARY OF STATE SENDS OUT \$50,000 OR 60 FOR EACH 50 VOTERS

Special to The Sun.

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Sept. 19.—Shipment of the ballots to be used in the state primaries one week from today was begun by the secretary of state last night, and will probably be completed, except for the Boston precincts, by tomorrow night.

This year \$50,000 ballots were printed, the law requiring that sixty ballots shall be provided for each fifty registered voters, or fraction of fifty, so that a town having fifty-one voters would receive, under the law, one hundred and twenty ballots.

The first ballots shipped were those for the seven towns in Dukes county, together with the bundle for the island of Nantucket. These will be delivered to the Nantucket steamer today, and should be in nearly all of the towns before nightfall.

A few of the Barnstable county ballots were made ready for shipment last night, but the greater part went to those for Sandisfield, which are sent outside of the commonwealth in order to reach its destination. The bundle for Sandisfield is delivered at Winsted, Ct., and taken to its destination by stage.

This year's ballot will be the usual "blanket," with the three parties arranged in parallel columns. Republican voters will find their candidates in the first column at the left; the prohibitionists candidates (there are very few) will be found in the middle, and the democratic column will be at the extreme right.

All of this year's ballots will be of the same size, but the bundle for Sandisfield was made up of a different size, much complaint in Danvers, Brookline, and ward 20, Boston, because the number of candidates for ward or town committee made it necessary for the secretary to print larger ballots for those places. Although the Danvers republicans have again decided that there shall be fifty members of their town committee, only twenty-five candidates have been nominated, and this permits the names to be arranged on a ballot of the uniform size.

## SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

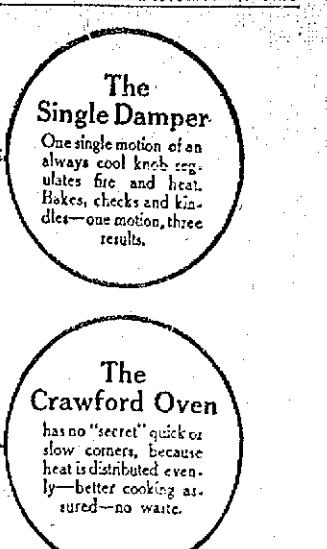
Noble Grand Samuel Kershaw presided over the regular meeting of Loyal Exchequer Lodge, L.O.E.F., M.U., which was held last evening in Post 120 hall. The outing committee reported favorably on the recent event conducted by the organization and it was announced that at the next meeting to be held October 2 the white and scarlet degrees will be worked.

Lowell Eagles

A special meeting of the members of Lowell Aeris of Eagles was held last evening with worthy President Patrick J. McLaughlin in the chair. The meeting was for the purpose of taking action on the "Columbian" day parade and it was unanimously voted that the organization participate in the celebration, and a committee of 25 was appointed to look after arrangements.

Admiral Farragut Auxiliary 47

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of Admiral Farragut auxiliary 47, which was held in Post 155 hall last evening with Mrs. G. H. Pickering, president, in the chair. An invitation was received to attend the reception to Division President Louis L. Ford in Chelsea, Sept. 27. Other



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## AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF MINING ENGINEERS

FIRST OF TECHNICAL SESSIONS OF CONVENTION HELD AT DOUGLAS, ARIZONA

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Sept. 19.—The first of the technical sessions of the convention of the American Institute of Mining Engineers, which is meeting in various places in Arizona this week, were held here today on the general subjects of "Smelting" and "Leaching." A. G. McGregor of Warren, Ariz., in an address on the "New Copper Smelting Plants in Arizona" told the engineers that in Arizona during the past five years there has been more activity in copper-smelting plant construction than in the same length of time in the history of the world. Mr. McGregor said that in this period five new copper-smelting plants had been constructed and put into operation. The monthly output from these plants, he said, averages from 5,000,000 to 15,000,000 pounds. He then described new problems which had been met successfully and new features in plant design and equipment which had been developed.

At the evening session on "Leaching," Frederick Laist and Harold W. Aldrich described the 2,000-ton leaching plant at Anaconda, Mont. The party left last night for Bisbee where tomorrow's sessions will be held. Mining and geology will be the subjects to be taken up in the technical discussions.

## PRICE OF BREAD ADVANCES

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Bread prices will advance this week from 5 to 6 cents. Thus far the advance is announced in only one bakery in Greater Boston, but a canvass of the larger baking companies yesterday points to the increase becoming statewide.

The reason given by the bakers for an additional cent per loaf for the five-cent loaf is said to be enormous increase in the prices of ingredients, together with the added increase of overhead expenses and labor.

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# POLICE COURT SHORT DOCKET TODAY

Deputy Downey, prosecuting officer, presented a short list of cases to Judge Enright at today's session of police court most of which were either continued or quickly disposed of.

## Assault Case

John Gacy pleaded not guilty to a complaint charging him with assault and battery with a knife on Abraham McCutcheon. The alleged assault occurred on French street last Saturday night. The police allege that Gacy approached McCutcheon and accused him of paying some attention to Mrs. Gacy. The assault is said to have followed. Gacy's case was continued until next Tuesday, bail being fixed at \$300.

## Non-Support

Charles A. Simpson, non-support of his wife, A. Irene, pleaded not guilty. Mrs. Simpson said that Charles is very delinquent in making contributions toward the support of herself and a child. She said they have lived for some time in one room and often times are without food. She said she was afraid to live with him any longer and would go back to her mother if Simpson would support the child.

Defendant said that he earned \$18 per week when he worked steadily. "It's my money she wants," he shouted from the dock but his honor had little faith in this statement when a moment later Mrs. Simpson said she would be satisfied with three dollars a week. Simpson was given a suspended sentence of five months in the house of correction on condition that he pay Probation Officer Slattery five dollars weekly for his family's support. He agreed to do this.

John A. Shea was yesterday sentenced to three months in jail and he appealed. He was in the dock this forenoon and stated that yesterday he paid a man nine dollars to bail him and the man hadn't shown up since. After hearing this story Judge Enright advised Shea to wait until the matter was investigated before he withdrew his appeal. This was agreeable and the story of the nine dollars will be investigated.

John A. McCormick, who was Satur-

day sentenced to six months in the house of correction for larceny from the person of Daniel Sullivan and also given an additional month for drunkenness, withdrew his appeal today. The drunkenness sentence was placed on file.

Two young men charged with drunkenness were again suspended sentences to the Massachusetts reformatory and two other cases were continued until Saturday.

## WORK ON HOSPITAL Continued

order shortly after 10 o'clock by Commissioner Duncan in the absence of the mayor, who arrived later.

## The Meeting

It was voted to hold hearings on Oct. 10 on the following petitions: John J. Higgins, garage in Lawrence street; Mildred L. Brennan, garage in Georgia avenue; Elmer G. Brennan, garage in Georgia avenue; Frank C. McLeod, garage in Wentworth avenue.

Arthur D. Beharrel and others petitioned to have a 20-minute limit for vehicles in Middle street between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. Mr. Beharrel said he believed the same rule should exist for Middle street as Central street. The matter was referred to the mayor and Commissioner Morse.

## Quiet Zone Wanted

The executive committee of the board of health petitioned to have a quiet zone established in the vicinity of the Lowell and St. John's hospitals and also that proper signs be placed in a conspicuous place in the said zones. Mr. Morse said he can attend to the signs, but in his opinion most of the noise is caused by the street cars. The petition was referred to the mayor and Commissioner Morse.

## Street Railway Tracks

A communication was received from the public service commission to the effect that the commission had notified the Bay State Street Railway Co. to extend its tracks in Varnum avenue as far as Tolman road. The communication was placed on file.

On recommendation of Commissioner Morse, the following petitions were granted: F. G. Merrill and others, that edgewise be laid in Forest street; Otto Hockmeyer, that a concrete sidewalk be laid in Holyrood avenue; James J. Norton, that a concrete sidewalk be laid in Hampshire street; Miles Veeva, that a concrete sidewalk be laid in Moore street; Lillian F. Clough, that a concrete sidewalk be laid in Robbins street.

## Board of Trade Letter

The following communication, received from Mr. Morse from the board of trade, was read:

Dear Sir: At a meeting of the public health committee of the Lowell Board of Trade, I was instructed to submit the following recommendations for your consideration and to urge you to co-operate with this committee in a cleanup movement of the city:

1. Recommended that the police department be requested to enforce the ordinance in reference to spitting on the sidewalks.
2. Recommended that the water and fire departments arrange for the flushing of the business streets of the city during the early morning hours, beginning at present and continuing until the cold weather interferes.
3. Recommended that the street department secure at once proper receptacles for receiving papers and other rubbish on the streets. The committee voted as being opposed to the so-

lution of receptacles which contain any form of advertising thereon.

The committee would recommend to the street department that the business streets of Lowell be cleaned by the use of horse sweepers late Saturday night or early Sunday morning. These recommendations if adopted will tend to improve the public health and are matters which are deserving of your immediate co-operation and should be put into effect at once.

The public health committee will probably hold weekly meetings and will be very glad to confer with you and shall appreciate the co-operation of the various city departments. May we expect that these recommendations will be acted upon at once? Respectfully yours,

John H. Murphy, Sec.

Commenting on the letter, Mr. Morse said years ago the streets of Lowell were swept by city employees during the night, but this method was dropped on account of newspaper criticisms. Mr. Morse would like to confer with you and be concluded by suggesting the flushing of streets twice a week and the sweeping on Saturday nights. No action was taken.

A communication was received from the Lowell Bleachery Co. to the effect that the company wished to withdraw its petition for the abatement of Bleachery street. It was placed on file.

A communication was received from Harry W. J. Lowe of the waterways committee asking the council to erect an ornamental fence on the bridge over Hale's brook in Gorham street.

Mr. Howe states the present fence is unsafe and he hopes the council will take favorable action before any fatalities occur at that spot. Mr. Morse asked if the waterways committee had money and the mayor replied in the affirmative, but he said, not to build fences. The matter was referred to Mr. Morse.

## Contagious Hospital

Henry L. Bourke, the architect, who drew the plans for the contagious hospital, appeared before the council with his plans for the purpose of learning just how much money would be spent this year on the building and what portion of the hospital will be erected. The mayor said he, as a member of the contagious hospital commission, has attended the meetings of the said commission and that the plans have been approved by the commission. He said the state police looked over the plans, which were also submitted to the state board of health for approval. He said he was informed by the state board of health that certain changes in the plans and that the said changes had been made. He also told of being informed by the architect that the excavation and foundation can be put in this year.

Mr. Bourke was called upon and he stated that he made three drawings and that the state board of health after examining the plans had eliminated two rooms. He said the administration building consists of an office and a home and dining room, the kitchen and dining room will be one-story structure. The shafts will be of wood and with the exception of doors and sashes will be entirely open. The plans for the boiler house, he said, are nearly completed and now there is a question of grade.

The mayor: "Are the plans and specifications ready for bids?" Mr. Bourke: "The plans are, but the specifications will not be ready for another week. The wooden shafts can be put up now, but if they are to be used, you will need the administration building, the kitchen, dining room and boiler house. These shafts will cost between \$10,000 and \$11,000 each, the administration building about \$30,000; the boiler plant and laundry, which will also contain two rooms for the janitors to live in and a morgue, about \$15,000; the kitchen and dining room, between \$10,000 and \$11,000. The isolation building will be of brick, two stories high, and will cost between \$50,000 and \$60,000, but the latter has been waived by the state board of health for the present."

Mr. Morse did a little figuring and said the total cost would be about \$145,000 without the sewer. He thought \$30,000 for shafts was big money, and in his opinion it would be just as well for the city of Lowell to send the tuberculosis patients to Arizona, for they can never be cured, but of course, he said, the state board of health has no right of a hospital and we have to do what the state says.

Mayor O'Donnell suggested that bids be called for the administration building, boiler house and shafts and the architect was instructed to prepare specifications for the said buildings.

The Clean-up Campaign  
The mayor then took up the letter sent by the board of trade in reference to a clean-up campaign and he stated that the matter of enforcing the spitting ordinance would be attended by him at once. Article 2 of the letter, which had to do with the flushing of streets, was referred to Commissioner Putnam. Article 3, in reference to receptacles, was referred to Commissioner Morse, while Article 4, which had to do with the sweeping of streets, was referred to Commissioner Morse.

The commission of public buildings was instructed to take the necessary steps for the removal of the building now occupied by the J. B. V. Coburn store near the Pawtucket bridge, so as to have the place ready for the erection of a fence. Cornelius P. Sullivan filed a claim for damages and it was referred to the law department.

Flu in Title of School Building  
Eugene Cantin, who a few months ago purchased at public auction the School street school building, informed the council that he is now building a house on the land in question and that he has found that there is a title in the centre of the land for which the city has no title by record of deed. He stated when he purchased the building and land it was with the understanding that the title should be free from all encumbrances. He said the matter will now have to be taken to the court and this will mean an expenditure of not less than \$100 and he feels the city should pay a portion of the expense. The council expressed their opinion that the city should bear all the expense and the mayor informed Mr. Cantin he would instruct the solicitor to draw an order or take legal steps to free the land from all encumbrances.

Twenty-Minute Limit  
On the petition of Arthur Beharrel and others for a 20-minute limit for Middle street, the mayor said he would take the matter up with the collector and that an amendment to the ordinance will be submitted at the next meeting. Charles Stickney petitioned to have Branch street widened 30 feet on its northern side at a point near the fire station and the petition was referred to Commissioner Morse with instructions to find the probable cost of the improvement.

The claim of Harry B. Greene for the abatement of a sewer assessment 70 years ago, amounting to \$56.61 in Stevens street was again brought up for discussion, but no action was taken. The meeting adjourned at 12:45 until Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Hearings Granted  
The Lowell Electric Light Corp. was given a hearing on its petition for ad-

ditional poles and wires in Orleans street. There was no remonstrant and the petition was referred. Hearings on the following petitions and in each instance there was no remonstrant and the petitions were referred: W. H. Potter, garage and gasoline in Gibson street; Anna W. Morse, garage in Doane street; Charles M. Bixby, garage in Princeton street; Charles W. Hamel, garage in Hurd street; George E. Parbun, garage and gasoline in Forest avenue; Charles Lajoie, gasoline in Gorham street; Sinale Martel, garage in Endicott street; Patrick Tire Co., garage in Moody street; Patrick Cogger, garage in Riverside street.

The Seannell boiler works petitioned for permission to remove a building in Tanner street. Commissioner Morse stated that the removal of the building would not damage or interfere with anyone and at his suggestion the petition was granted.

Commissioner Morse was called upon to draw the names of eight travelers' bureaus for the Lowell section of the superior court, which will open in this city on the first Monday in October, and the following names were drawn: Daniel J. O'Brien, 20 Parkview avenue, real estate.

Warren J. Sanborn, 260 Mansour street, foreman. John J. Hill, avenue. Harry J. Corwin, 93 Holyrood avenue, advertising man.

John J. Sullivan, 223 Stackpole st., janitor. Edward F. Slattery, Jr., 65 Arlington street, real estate.

Robert H. Clifford, 245 Bridge street, census clerk.

Michael A. Lee, 61 Bartlett street, carpenter.

On recommendation of Commissioner Morse the following petitions were granted: Mrs. George Keady, garage, 41 School street; Theodore McArthur, garage, 12 Anderson street; C. R. Coburn Co., garage, 194 Nesmith street; Lowell Realty Co., garage, 109 Bellevue street; Samuel Orbach, garage, 292 Stevens street; Alfred H. Barlow, garage, 37 Elm street; New England Telephone Co., gasoline, Appleton street; L. W. Alling, garage, 617 Westford street; G. Forrest Martin, garage and gasoline, 15 Howard street.

Weather Halts Allies  
Continued

ment by the war office, as having brought down his fifth enemy machine, has only one left. The other was amputated as a result of an aeroplane accident prior to the war. Adjutant Tarsanoff's artificial leg was smashed by a shell splinter during one of his latest daring flights.

LOSS OF STEAMERS DEWA AND LORD TREDEGAR ANNOUNCED

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The loss of the steamers Dewa and Lord Tredegar is announced by Lloyds.

The Lord Tredegar passed Gibraltar on Sept. 8 on her way to Port Said and a home port near New York. She measured 2377 tons. The Dewa is not listed in the maritime register.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The Lord Tredegar was cleared here by Pynch, Dewa & Co. local steamship agents, and a home port near New York. She was under the British flag. According to the agents, there were no Americans on board so far as they knew.

BULGARIANS BEGINNING EVACUATION OF MON-ASTIR

LONDON, Sept. 19.—An Athens despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co. says that information received there indicates that the Bulgarians are beginning the evacuation of Monastir. It is said that the Bulgarian archives are being hastily transported to Uskub.

HEAVY AND CONTINUOUS RAINS ON FRANCO-BELGIAN FRONT

LONDON, Sept. 19.—"Heavy and continuous rain has fallen during the last 21 hours," says today's official account of operations on the Franco-Belgian front. "The general situation is unchanged."

In the neighborhood of Hisebourg (northwest of La Bassée) we entered the enemy's trenches at three places, capturing prisoners and a machine gun and inflicting many casualties. Our casualties were very slight.

"Since last night's report five more of our aeroplanes have failed to return."

BULGARS UNSUCCESSFUL IN COUNTER ATTACKS AGAINST SERBIANS

PARIS, Sept. 19.—The Bulgarians on the Macedonian front have made two counter attacks against the Serbians, but gained no success, it was announced officially here today.

The Bulgarians and Germans have been making an attempt to break through the French troops which captured Florina. There is no change on the Struma front.

GERMAN GREAT GENERAL STAFF MOVED FROM WEST TO EAST

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The Wireless Press today gave a Berlin despatch quoting the Sueddeutsche Zeitung to the effect that the German great general staff has been moved from the western to the eastern front.

Since the appointment of Field Marshal von Hindenburg as chief of staff, it has been reported that he desired to leave France and Belgium suffering his energies to be devoted to the front with the belief that it is on this front that the first conclusive victory must be won.

NEW WAR LOAN BY RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT IS PROPOSED

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A new war loan

by the Russian government is proposed, according to a Reuters despatch from Petrograd today.

The plan says the despatch, is to issue at the end of October a new internal 5% per cent ten year loan for war purposes to the amount of 8,000,000,000 rubles, the price of issue to be 85.

GERMANY TO EXPUL 10,000 ITALIANS IN REPRISAL FOR TREATMENT OF SUBJECTS

BERNE, Switzerland, via Paris, Sept. 18.—It is reported from the German frontier that the German government intends to expel 10,000 Italians in reprisal for the treatment of Germans in Italy. The Italians will be sent out of Germany on special trains by way of Switzerland. They include many women, children, and old men of the poorer class.

BELEAGUED LEGATION'S PROTEST AGAINST ENFORCED LOAN OF \$200,000,000

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.—The protest filed with the state department by the Belgian legation against an enforced loan of \$200,000,000, said to have been imposed by German military authorities upon Belgian banks, probably will be forwarded to the German government without comment. Ambassador Marthe may make inquiries in behalf of the Belgian director of the National bank of Belgium, who was imprisoned after he refused to surrender the bank assets.

QUEEN OF HOLLAND EXPRESSES THANKFULNESS THAT COUNTRY IS NOT IN WAR

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Queen Wilhelmina of Holland on opening the Dutch parliament today, says a Central News despatch from The Hague, expressed thankfulness that the country had not been involved in the war. She said:

"We continue to follow the line of duty dictated by the law of nations for neutral states and firmly resolved to defend our independence and maintain our rights against whoever may seek to attack them. Our military forces are being augmented as also are our stores of arms and ammunition."

In addition to the augmentation of Holland's land forces her majesty said that the fleet was being strengthened.

REPORT OF ATTACK BY BRITISH SEAPLANES IS DENIED BY GERMANS

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—(By wireless to Sayville.)—According to a British admiralty statement of Sept. 16, "says the Overseas News agency today," a squadron of British seaplanes bombed heavy batteries in the vicinity of Ostend. It is stated on competent German authority that no such attack took place, but that during the night of Sept. 16-17 a hostile aircraft attempted to attack Zebruggen. The bombs dropped fell into the sea doing no damage."

GERMANS TOOK THE OFFENSIVE IN THE CHAMPAGNE DISTRICT

PARIS, Sept. 19, 12:30 p. m.—The Germans took the offensive in Champagne last night, making five successful attacks on the Russian troops there. Today's official report says that each time they were checked by the Russian machine gun and artillery fire.

The German attack in Champagne was made in the sector between Souain and Somme-Py.

On the same front operations were hindered by bad weather.

PETROGRAD REPORTS STUBBORN FIGHTING IN GALICIA

PETROGRAD, Sept. 19, via London, 2:25 p. m.—Stubborn fighting is in progress between Russian and Austro-German troops in the region of the river Naryvka in Galicia, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war department. All the Teuton attacks, the statement adds, were repulsed with heavy losses.

ROOFERS ON STRIKE AT BILLY SUNDAY'S TEMPLE

STOP WORK ON BOSTON TABERNACLE BECAUSE BUSINESS AGENT IS EXCLUDED

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—A shrill whistle pierced the old fence of knotholes which used to surround the Huntingdon avenue baseball grounds and now encloses the Billy Sunday tabernacle. It was about 2 yesterday afternoon, and it was the whistle of a business agent. Properly the hammer stopped knocking on the roof of "the big church" and the tabernacle had its first visitation of labor trouble.

For some time neither the workmen on the roof nor L. L. Williams, who is holding down "Joe" Speece's job during the boss carpenter's absence, knew any certain answer to the trouble, until they found the whistle. That was James T. Moriarty, business agent of Sheet Metal Workers' union, local 17, who was on the outside, when he had intended to be inside.

"I came up to the gate in the fence here," Mr. Moriarty told a reporter, "and said I wanted to go in. The watchman asked me for a card and I told him I didn't have one, and he wouldn't let me in. So I went around back and whistled, and my four or five men quit." He said that his men would go back until he received the writing an agreement that he would be admitted whenever men of his union worked there.

No more work was done on the roof yesterday afternoon, but Mr. Williams said last night that he anticipated no trouble today, and that he was quite willing to sign an agreement to let the business agent in. "We have all union men here and we are looking

for no trouble with labor," he said. W. C. Manning, the watchman, says he adds it necessary to ask visitors for identification cards. "Otherwise there wouldn't be room for the workmen in here. Every one wants to see the place."

With Mr. Moriarty were Business Agents Joseph P. Galvin, William Flynn and Charles McMahon of Steamfitters, Steamfitters' Helpers and Plumbers' locals. They said they took the same stand Mr. Moriarty took, although none of them were yet members of the tabernacle.

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GREATEST SPREAD OF INFANTILE PARALYSIS

NEW CASES IN MASSACHUSETTS IN 21 HOURS—MORE CASES IN NEW YORK

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—The greatest spread of infantile paralysis since it became epidemic in this state was reported by the health department today. The number of new cases developed in the 24 hours ending Sept. 18, within one of the total of the previous 48 hours. Six of these cases were in Holyoke and as many in this city. To date 369 cases have been reported in this state during the current month.

NEW CASES IN NEW YORK  
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Thirty-five new cases of infantile paralysis, an increase of 20 over yesterday's report, was shown in the department of health bulletin issued for the 24 hours ending at 11 a. m. today. There were ten deaths, an increase of four.

RANDOLPH, VT., SCHOOLS CLOSED  
The public schools in this town and in Brookfield were closed today for two weeks, and children under 16 years were forbidden attendance at public schools, because of the danger of infantile paralysis of two children in the latter town. Even a girl of five years and her three-year-old brother Leonard, children of Albert Jordan, a farmer, have died of the disease and an infant member of the family is ill.

AGAINST BLACKMAILERS  
Continued

eral agents here, and possible continuance of their preliminary hearing, was in prospect today as witnesses from eastern cities arrived in Chicago to testify against the seven persons under arrest.


James Christian, one of the four men and three women taken in the raid here Saturday night was freed on a \$2500 bond late last night, officials admitting they had little evidence to connect him with the alleged fleeing of Mrs. Regina Klipper of Philadelphia, the principal witness against the defendants. "The three alleged leaders probably will be held under \$25,000 bond. These three are Helen Evers, Edward ("Doc") Donahue and Harry ("Slick") Russell.

The story of the blackmailing of Mrs. Klipper involves Frank Crocker, a member of the band, who is alleged to have received \$25,000 from the confederates over a division of the spoils and then turned state's evidence against them. Crocker is to be given immunity.

Mrs. Klipper, a divorcee, with three small children, met Crocker in a New York hotel while there on a buying trip for a Philadelphia contractor, and Crocker, according to the confession Crocker is said to have made to federal officials, went to an apartment after a dinner and evening at a theatre. Shortly after midnight, Edward Donahue, William Butler, and George Irwin knocked at the door. All were henchmen of the government secret service and they showed a bogus warrant for the arrest of the couple for violation of the Mann act.

Crocker, affecting surprise and indignation, wrote out a check for \$5000 and advised Mrs. Klipper to pay the men what money she had, and this she did.

When Mrs. Klipper threatened to tell her story to federal authorities, members of the band, according to government charges, spirited her away to a hotel in Montreal. There she was held prisoner for six weeks.



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Europe at the beginning of the war, the secretary said one of the chief difficulties the belligerents had to meet in preparing for the struggle was the need of co-operation between civilian and naval experts, engineers and scientists.

MANY SNIPERS ARRESTED  
Arrested Revolutionists Said to Have Aided Villa Forces in Attack on Chihuahua Saturday

CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., Sept. 12.—(Delayed.)—Numbers of residents of Chihuahua City were arrested Monday and charged with complicity in Villa's attack. Martial law was proclaimed when it was learned that during the attack many of residents, among them arrested revolutionists, had been salping from their windows and that others had provided information to the bandits.

Trinidad also issued orders that any persons other than soldiers on the streets after 10 o'clock at night should be shot.

SALAZAR AMONG KILLED  
Notorious Revolutionary Leader, Freed From Prison by Villa, Helped Repel His Liberator's Attack

EL PASO, Sept. 19.—Consular dispatches from Chihuahua City say that Jose (mez) Salazar, one of the most notorious of the Mexican leaders who have operated along the American frontier in Mexico's five years of civil strife, was killed in the engagement following his liberation from the penitentiary.

Salazar, contrary to earlier reports, is now said to have been killed fighting with the government troops, his former jailers.

PEABODY MAN DROWNED  
ESSEX, Sept. 19.—John Flynn, 32 years old, unmarried, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Flynn of 80 Tremont street, Peabody, was drowned late yesterday afternoon when his canoe tipped over in Chebacco lake.

Flynn was visiting three or four other men staying at the Foster cottage near Mears' Icehouses. He was considered an experienced canoeist and had started across the lake to get groceries at Centennial grove. The other campers saw the accident but were unable to aid him.

Police dragging for his body had not found it up to 10:30 p. m.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

Mrs. Susie Gardner

Cunningham, formerly with "The Gilbride Co.," has accepted a position with The Fashion Millinery Store, 115 Merrimack Street.

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TEN EXPERIENCED GIRLS wanted at once. The "Education" room. Boston Ladies' Quilters, 81 Merrimack st.

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Twenty-four of America's foremost scientists comprising the navy's civilian consulting board, headed by Thomas A. Edison, took the oath of allegiance to the United States today as officers of the federal government. The oath was administered in the office of Secretary Daniels.

Before Mr. Edison arrived at the navy department he went to Mount Vernon, Va., the home of George Washington, made a personal inspection of the mansion and planted an elm tree in the yard. He was asked to inspect the electrical wiring of the house, which he did, pronouncing it safe.

Secretary Daniels formally welcomed the scientists into the federal service and predicted that their enlistment would do much to restore American prestige upon the seas and assure the "electric future" of our navy and our country.

Reviewing the problems which faced

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ARKANSAS COLLEGE BOASTS OF FIRST WOMAN FOOTBALL COACH



HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Sept. 18.—Women are invading every field, including the sport world, and making good, too. For the first time in history a woman is coaching a football team. She is Mrs. Earl Brannon, formerly prominent in athletics at the University of Nebraska. When the Jonesboro college of

Arkansas advertised for a football coach for its second team Mrs. Brannon applied and was accepted. Her husband is drilling the first team. According to reports, Mrs. Brannon is a success and the Jonesboro angles are going to make a good showing on the Arkansas gridiron this season.

**FUNERAL NOTICES**  
BARTLETT—Died Sept. 18th, in this city, Mrs. Lora J. Bartlett, aged 60 years, 7 months, and 15 days, at her home, 29 Hastings street. Private funeral services will be held at the home of Undertaker George W. Healey, 79 Branch street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. Both the funeral services and burial will be strictly private.

CONLEY—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Conley will take place Thursday morning at 8:15 o'clock from her home, 11 McGovern's court. High mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 8 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

GALLAGHER—The funeral of Miss Anna C. Gallagher will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 117 Methuen street. Solemn high mass at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

HAYWOOD—Died at her home, Elmwood, Dracut, Mrs. Emily Haywood, wife of William A. Haywood, aged 60 years, 1 month, 10 days. Burial in her husband's grave, at 2 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to attend. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William J. Saunders.

SHEDDEN—Died in this city, Sept. 19, at her home, 43 Howard street, Miss Gertrude Shedden, aged 13 years, 3 months. Funeral services will be held from her home, 43 Howard street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Burial in the cemetery. Funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

WOODS—Died Sept. 18th, in this city, Mrs. Doreen E. Woods, aged 62 years, 9 months, and 10 days, at the home of her son, Mr. Edward S. Woods, 312 Wilder street. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. Both the services at the house and grave will be private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**DEATHS**  
BUCK—Lukas Buck, aged 24 years, died yesterday afternoon at the State infirmary, Tewksbury, after a lingering illness. The body was removed to the home, 241 Fayette street.

FALCON—Mrs. Emma L. Falcon, wife of the late Edward A. Falcon, died yesterday at her home in Chelmsford, aged 67 years.

WOODIES—Mrs. Dorothy P. Woodies died yesterday at the home of her son, Edward S. Woodies, 312 Wilder street. Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers. Both the services at the house and grave will be private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

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**LEGAL NOTICES**

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.  
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.  
To the devisees, legatees, and all other persons interested in the estate of Mary A. Barnard, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased, testate:  
Whereas a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration with the will annexed, on the estate of said deceased, not already administered, to Fred G. R. Gordon, of Haverhill, in the County of Essex, or to some other suitable person.  
You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourth day of October, A. D. 1916, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.  
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof by publishing this citation once in each week, for three consecutive weeks, in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, at least before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all devisees and legatees named in said will, seven days at least before said Court.  
Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 18th day of September, in the year one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.  
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**FOR SALE**

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**FOR SALE**

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WET WASH LAUNDRY for sale, doing a good business. Apply 22 Rhode st.

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**KITCHEN GIRL** wanted, hand & Dutch st.

**FANCY DRESSER** wanted. Lowell Laundry, 167 Church st.

**FIRST CLASS TIEHES** wanted. Apply to Adams Bros. Co., 56 Stockport st.

**GIRL** wanted for general housework, on week day, inquire 215 Pine st.

**AT CLOTHING SALESMAN** wanted to take the agency in Lowell, Mass., selling "Woolsey" brand, extra quality of wear at no more \$11, no less. Good opportunity for a live wire. Apply The Wonder, 522 Broadway, New York City.

**YOUNG MAN** wanted as waiter at D. L. Page Co.'s lunch room, must be experienced. Apply to Mr. Cole.

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**WOMAN** wanted to do washing, ironing and cleaning. Inquire 215 Pine st.

**TABLE WAITRESS**, experienced, wanted. Come ready for work. Kirk Booth Chambers, Mrs. Gates, 61 Kirk st.

**ALL ROUND HOUSE GIRL** wanted. Apply 5 Webster st.

**MACHINE** and hand treers wanted, and one packer on boys' shoes. Federal Shoe Co., Dix st.

**MAN** wanted by the day on farm. Apply to H. Brewster, Billerica Centre.

**NIGHT WATCHMAN** with Brennan's license wanted. Apply 300 New Building, cor. King and Middlesex sts.

**TABLE GIRL** wanted at 83 John st.

**GIRL** wanted to work in making room. Apply to Mr. Parsons, Adams Bros., 100 Lincoln st.

**AN ELEGANT LADY** or young girl wanted to assist in housework and help with two children. Apply 61 Middlesex st.

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**MASS NOTICE**

There will be an anniversary mass for the repose of the soul of George Mosher Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock at St. Peter's church.

**MASS NOTICE**

There will be a high mass of requiem sung at the Sacred Heart church at 3 o'clock Thursday morning for the repose of the soul of Mrs. Patrick Hunt.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We, the undersigned, desire to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for kind and beautiful floral tributes during our recent bereavement.  
John Garstang and daughters.  
Annie M. Bailey.

**PERSONALS**

Miss Lillian McCormack of 136 Jewett street has returned from a two weeks' vacation at Salisbury beach.

Miss Josephine McDermott of 68 Willow street has returned from a six weeks' vacation at the White Mountains.

Mr. Charles McQuade of A. G. Pollard Co.'s store and John J. McDowell are spending a week with friends in Providence, R. I.

Donald B. Estabrook of Plain street has started on a sea trip to New Brunswick. He will spend the next two weeks at St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Fuller of Golden Cove road, Chelmsford, are registered on the arrival of a 9-pound boy, which arrived Friday, Sept. 15. Mrs. Fuller was formerly Miss Margaret Abbott, of Baldwin street, this city.

**SUN BRIEVITIES**

Best printing: Toblin's, Assn. Bldg. Export vulcanizing, Beharrell's. Tanne tonight, Highland Hall.

Y. J. Donohoe, 228 Hudson bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone 1-2.

A. L. Churchman, buyer of ladies' cloaks and suits for the A. G. Pollard Co. is on a business trip to New York.

John Douglas McKimley of 474 Beacon street has left for Illinois, where he has accepted a position of instructor of languages at the Illinois State university.

Lowell grange, 325, will hold its regular meeting this evening in Highland hall. The entertainment will be in charge of Lillian V. and John W. Powers. All applications for the fall class must be received tonight.

Thomas Keady, who resigned his position as foreman of the plating room of the International Steel and Ordnance corporation, was tendered a farewell banquet by about 10 friends Saturday evening. Mr. Keady intends to go into business in New York.

Miss Esther M. Greene of 179 Warwick street, who has been assistant professor of music in the public schools of Yonkers, N. Y., for the past three years, has been appointed supervisor of music in the State Normal and Practice schools of Keene, N. H.

**MATRIMONIAL**

Arthur A. Bourke and Miss Elizabeth C. Thomas were married yesterday at St. Peter's church by Rev. P. L. Grayton. The bride wore white lace with pearl trimmings and bridal veil and carried roses and lilies of the valley. The wedding was attended by Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Roman, Mr. and Mrs. White, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Roman, leading department, 30, Lowell plant, C. C. Goss, the Sweeney family, Mr. and Mrs. William Roman, Mrs. P.

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**LOST AND FOUND**

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## BIG TANKS USED BY THE BRITISH MADE IN U. S. ALONG SOMME

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The British "tanks" the armored motor cars used in recent assaults on German trenches in northern France so successfully to attract world-wide attention, were built for the most part in Peoria, Ill., in the form of caterpillar tractors, designed many years before the war began to meet some of the difficult problems of modern farming.

Except for their armor, their machine guns and their crews, thousands like them are in use today in the United States, in plowing, digging ditches and other labors less heroic than war.

M. M. Baker, vice-president of the Holt Manufacturing company, explained here yesterday that it was machines made by his company at its Peoria plant that had hurled German trenches, walked through forests and crawled over shell craters in the face of intense gun fire.

Sold 1000 to Britain  
"We have sold about 1000 caterpillar tractors to the British government," said M. Baker. "We have had nothing to do with putting armor on them or placing machine guns, but some of our men at Aldershot, Eng., recently were notified that the British government intended to arm some of the tractors and use them for work other than the usual towing of big guns."

"Germany had some of these tractors before the war began and, although I do not understand just how it occurred, I believe they may have got others since then. We have sent some to France and some to Russia. "So far as I know, up to the recent appearance of the armored cars, the tractors were used only to tow big guns. I understand that Germany used about 40 of them in this work before Liege, early in the war, and recent photographs show that the British are using some of them now for the same purpose."

### Can Go Over Almost Anything

Mr. Baker said he did not know how many of the 1000 tractors sent to England had been armored and put in service as land battlements, nor did he know what equipment the British war office had placed upon cars to be used in this work.

"It is true," said Mr. Baker, "that these tractors can go over almost anything, or through almost anything. They can straddle a trench, go through a swamp, roll over logs, or climb through shell craters like a car of Juggernaut."

"It looks uncanny to see them crawl along the ground just like a huge caterpillar. In a thick forest, if they cut down trees they could not brush out of their way, they could easily be used to uproot them and clear their own paths."

Mr. Baker said the tractors sent to England weigh about 15,000 pounds each, develop 120 horsepower and are built of steel. Their caterpillar feature, he explained, is of the utmost importance.

Speaking broadly, the tractor crawls on two belts, with corrugated surfaces, on either side of the body. The corrugated surface is on the ground. On the inside of the belts, on each side of the body, are two rows of rails, making four lines in all. These rails are in short sections, jointed, and operate over a cogged mechanism which actually lays them down with their belt attachment as the tractor moves ahead and picks them up again, so that the engine on its own self-track continuously. The short joints in the rails make it easy to turn to right or left.

The body is supported by tracks with five wheels, something like small railroad tracks. These wheels never touch the ground, but run upon the steel rails.

The ordinary tractor about seven feet of belt and rails are on the ground at one time. Mr. Baker said that the machine would bridge any trench that was not wider than the length of track it laid on the ground at one time. The "how" might be on the side of the trench, but the "when" would undoubtedly sink a little but the tenacity of the tractor, he declared, would enable it to go ahead and climb out.

### U. S. Government Experimenting

The width of track used on the machine sent to England, Mr. Baker said, was 24 inches. He declared that the ground pressure is about three pounds per square inch where a 30-inch track is used, or less than that of the foot of either man or horse.

He suggested that the caterpillar tractors probably had lengthened the track on the tractors used in trench work, giving them even greater power to surmount obstacles.

"We've been making these tractors for the British government for a long time," said Mr. Baker, "and have not talked much about it. Since their use in storming trenches I have seen published reports that led me to believe the secret would come out anyway pretty soon, so I decided it might as well be told now."

Although he would not discuss the matter it was understood that the United States war department is experimenting with the letters of the caterpillar-like those now in use on the British battle line.

### A DELEGATION OF WOMEN

were intensely interested when they recently visited the Pinkham Laboratory at Lynn, Mass., and saw the extensive cleanliness and purity which prevail in the preparation and storing of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as well as of her other medicines. An hour is required to go through so large an establishment. One thing which struck the visitors was the great number of women who were employed in the various departments, and how much the famous Compound had done for them. Only part of them are published, and no letter is published without the writer's permission.

## BRITISH BEAT A HALF MILLION ALONG SOMME

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A British official communication issued last evening gives a more complete account of the fighting in the Somme region of France, Sept. 15-16. The communication says:

"The attack was launched at 6.29 o'clock the morning of the 15th on the front from the Leuze wood to Pozieres. The enemy's position consisted of a treble line of entrenchments, connected by strong subsidiary trenches. In addition to this the enemy was holding some advanced positions, with machine guns in trenches, works and shell holes behind these fortifications, and at a distance of some 7000 yards from our front the enemy had recently constructed and wired a fourth line of trenches in front of the Leuze wood."

"Supported by more than a thousand guns of all calibers, the hostile defense was formidable. Panically our infantry, accompanied by heavy assault cars, moved forward to the assault close under cover of our field artillery and barrage."

"The front of the German line was carried everywhere except at two points, namely, on the high ground between Gluchy and the Leuze wood, and at the Pozieres wood. Neglecting these places, the infantry swept forward around them, and by 10 o'clock in the morning had captured the whole of the village of Fleury, with its strong points, and advanced to a position beyond the village."

Demoralized by Armored Cars  
The outskirts of Martinpuich and Courcellette also were reached about the same time. The latter two villages fell in our hands in the course of the afternoon. The German and English divisions, with troops from Canada and New Zealand, shared with our Guards the credit for these successes."

"On our right the enemy maintained his hold on the high ground northwest of Leuze wood, and our efforts to dislodge him were not successful. At the Pozieres wood, however, the enemy began to surrender when both his tanks were turned, and by 11 o'clock the whole wood was in our possession."

"We thus gained not only practically the whole of the ground between the Combles Valley and the River Ancre, but are well down the forward slopes. Thanks to our excellent artillery observations thus afforded, we are in a position to inflict heavy punishment on the Germans."

"Our armored cars gallantly led the action, knocking out hostile machine guns and inflicting heavy losses by their machine gunfire, enabling the German trenches and causing indestructible demoralization in the enemy's ranks."

"On the night of the 15th the enemy began to counter-attack with forces hastily brought from all directions. These counter-attacks continued throughout the 16th, and were all repulsed with heavy losses to the enemy. The New Zealand troops, after gaining their objective on the 15th, were particularly heavily counter-attacked, and only stood their ground and punished the enemy severely, but even made some progress."

### Most Effective British Blow

"On the 16th our troops made further progress, especially by the direction of Leuze wood. In the course of the above operations and in close connection with them the new Army troops have skillfully and gallantly extended our gain south of Thiepval, seizing trenches and capturing hundreds of prisoners."

"The result of the fighting is of great importance and probably the best effective blow which has yet been dealt the enemy by the British troops."

"The damage to his morale is probably of greater consequence than the seizure of dominating positions and the capture of between 1000 and 3000 prisoners."

"To date since the first of July the British forces alone in the Somme battle have met and engaged 35 German divisions, of which 20 have already been defeated and withdrawn exhausted."

"During the past week in the battle area only 14 hostile aeroplanes have been reported as crossing our lines, while our machines have made between 2000 and 3000 flights across the enemy's lines."

### STURDIERS IN CLASH

Shouts of "Start Start" Blotting Epitaph at Greenfield—One Arrested for Throwing Stone

GREENFIELD, Sept. 19.—A small riot took place at the Wells Road division of the Greenfield Twp. and the division of a clock last evening between about 30 striking foreigners and workmen. Steve Kuznick, a striker, was arrested for hitting a workman with a stone. Cries of "start" heeded the trouble. No one was seriously injured.

### FIRST SPEECH SATURDAY

President Wilson Will Discuss Eight-Hour Day Before Business Men of New Jersey

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The democratic national committee announced here last night that President Wilson will make his first speech of the campaign at Shadow Lawn next Saturday at 3 p. m. to the business men of New Jersey. Members of all chambers of commerce and business organizations in the state have been invited. The president intends, it was said, to discuss fully the provisions of the eight-hour railroad law.

## MOST DRAMATIC BATTLE OF THE BRITISH ARMY

### All Kinds of Men From the Ends of the Earth Took Part in Mighty Conflict September 15—All Records in Ferocity of Fighting Surpassed

#### BRITISH FRONT IN FRANCE, Sept. 15, via London, Sept. 19.—The most dramatic and picturesque battle of the British army in all its two years in France was fought on Sept. 15. Here is the story of how all kinds of men from the ends of the earth took part in this mighty conflict.

Canadians, New Zealanders, English, Scottish, Irish, Newfoundlanders and Americans are among the men of many countries who took part in the new historic battle and with them there went into action those armored motor cars, called "tanks" which are to the credit of a quiet officer of engineers. Today when the Associated Press correspondent was calling on a Canadian brigadier it was a "tank" called "the Gordon Rouge" looking like a prehistoric monster in a skin of modern armor and with engineers inside, which took him across the field of shell craters, weaving its way up to the door of the brigadier's dugout. The skipper alighted and later the "tank" ambled with the bulky lance of a hippopotamus over some more shell craters to a place where it would be out of the way until it was needed.

"Then the correspondent went over the ground which the Canadians had taken up to the edge of the village of Courcellette. Later they stormed the village. He met many Canadians, but when he asked some of them what part of Canada they hailed from they replied: "The same country as you"—the United States. There were men with the accents of Missouri and New England and others, who on the soil of France, hailed one another in the French tongue of Quebec.

"We got into a big show all right," said the American, "and that is what we came here for."

#### Canadians Made Good

These men who had rushed to the attack of the ridges of the Somme against machine gun fire and shells carried themselves by all accounts in a manner worthy of the traditions of the Civil war. It was the Canadians' first offensive on any big scale. They had stood the shock of attack at the second battle of Ypres, at St. Elloi, Orrell Hill and Sanctuary wood and it had been their fortune up to the present

time the staff, sitting in the center of the web of telephone and telegraph wires, explained that they thought that the progress of the great battle, began to wonder if the Canadians were in trouble. But presently they got word that the charge had swept beyond the village and that the Canadians had not been so busy digging in they had not time to send news. It was explained that they thought that it would be taken for granted that they had got there. Among these who "made good" was a battalion of French-Canadians, the kind of men you see in times of peace working their farms in Quebec or bending over the benches of a factory in New England. "We had luck with us and we forced it," one of the Canadians said. "It was up to us to do so, that's all." At one place in the village the attackers were held up for a time by a strongly fortified post which hissed with machine guns. "Well," as one

officer said, "we did not have to tell the men what to do. They stalked that strong post, man to man moving around it, and got it."

#### Life and Death Fight

But the exploit of the Canadians is only one of the many chapters which must be told now of what the soldiers humorously called "the tank offensive," having reference to the new armored motor cars. There was a London division with orders to reach their objective in a given time. In front of them in high wood was a fastness of machine guns which neither the soldiers nor the armorers had been able to reduce. However, it was the business of the Londoners to hold on there until further notice. "These orders were all very simple and direct," said one of the Londoners afterward with a grim smile, "but those Germans in their fort knew that it was a life and death fight and all that was required of them was to put their fingers on the triggers of their machine guns when we charged. We left it to the blooming tanks. We had to take chances of these machine guns shooting into our backs if the tanks could not do the job, and the tanks wiped out the machine guns."

The battalions whose luck failed them in this drive on the six mile British front were driven back by the cunningly arranged enfilading fire of machine guns in stumps points which on both sides of the tanks could conquer. As the wounded from these baffled battalions came hobbling down the shell swept road they were cheered by the news of the successes at other points.

More than once, facing counter attacks, the British drove back to meet the German charges in the open with the bayonet and the Germans have done the same. All past records in ferocity of fighting seemed to have been surpassed during the latest advance. So freely was life given and so wonderful was the courage shown on both sides that the whole thing seems unreal to the spectator. In today's mist and rain the ceaseless pounding of the guns goes on as fresh troops march up to the front from the rear to take their place in the next battle of this tremendous offensive.

### MANY LIVES LOST BY BURSTING OF DAM

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Many lives have been lost and enormous damage has been caused near Gablonz, Bohemia, by the bursting of a dam in the valley at Weissensee, according to a despatch to Reuters from Amsterdam quoting a telegram received there from Gablonz.

The on-rushing waters carried away some of the houses, demolishing factories and it is feared that there are many victims. The bridges were not destroyed but are in danger of collapse. The damage is very great.

The villages of Deszendorf, Tiefenbach, Tannwald, Schunberg, Schwarow, Grosshammer and Haratz are inundated. Ten hundred of victims have been recovered and identified.

### REUNANCHED BY MOVIE ROLING

WORCESTER, Sept. 19.—Mentally unbalanced by a scene he witnessed in a moving picture show in a Worcester theatre last week, Mrs. Amelia De Babel, aged 21, of 12 Imperial road, was removed yesterday to the mental hospital. The picture, which preyed on her mind, depicted the killing of a girl, and it put her into such a nervous condition that Dr. W. H. Bliss of Stretchbury was called to attend her.

### GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Sept. 19.—The second round of the intercollegiate individual golf championship was played on the links of the Oakland Country club today. Davidson Herron was opposed by D. C. Corkran, both of Princeton; Howard Maxwell, Princeton; E. N. McDonald, Illinois; Perry Parker, Princeton; J. W. Hubbard, Harvard; and C. L. Wrenn by John Simpson, both of Illinois.

### BANKER KILLS HOUSELY

Chicago Man Anticipated Investigation by State Officials—Four Private Bankers Are Indicted

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### COLD ALONG LAKE ERIE

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Heavy frosts and a temperature of 20 degrees were reported today from points along the south shore of Lake Erie, ice formed on still water in the falls. Vineyards were protected by smoke fires. Considerable damage to garden truck was reported.

### FOR SCHOOL BUS A CANNON SELF-FILLING FOUNTAIN

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## HUGHES OPENS SECOND SPEECH MAKING TRIP

### REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE TO ADDRESS CONVENTION AT PEORIA, ILL.

PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 19.—Republican leaders of Illinois assembled here today to attend the republican state convention and listen to Charles E. Hughes open his second speech-making campaign in the central western states. The convention is to nominate University trustees and adopt a platform. Mr. Hughes is to leave for Springfield after the convention adjourns.

At Springfield this afternoon he will deliver the principal address at the republican day ceremonies at the Illinois state fair and in the evening speak at a mass meeting to be held at the state arsenal.

### HUGHES AND FAIRBANKS SPEAK

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Sept. 19.—When Charles E. Hughes, republican presidential candidate speaks here Saturday night, Charles W. Fairbanks, the candidate for vice president on the same ticket, will preside at the meeting and act as chairman.

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Tuma's bank, the state attorney said, was to have been investigated. The banker's counsel, however, said the bank is solvent.

Tuma stood on a pier, fired a shot into his head and fell into Lake Michigan.

The state's attorney announced that the grand jury yesterday had voted true bills against Michael and Stephen Mitchell, on charges of receiving deposits while their private bank was insolvent, and against Moses Ginsburg and his son Emanuel, who conducted another private bank on the same charges.

Runs continued yesterday on some private banks known to be solvent and which had no difficulty in meeting the demands.

### COLD ALONG LAKE ERIE

BUFFALO, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Heavy frosts and a temperature of 20 degrees were reported today from points along the south shore of Lake Erie, ice formed on still water in the falls. Vineyards were protected by smoke fires. Considerable damage to garden truck was reported.

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## TROOPS LEAVE BORDER FOR HOME TODAY

### EL PASO, TEX., Sept. 19.—Massachusetts and Rhode Island troops on the border will begin to entrain for home today.

The first of the Bay State troops to start will be Field Hospital Company No. 1, while the first Rhode Island troops to be sent north will be the ambulance company and Troop B of the cavalry. These three units will leave here tonight.

It is expected here that all of the rest of the Massachusetts and Rhode Island troops will be ordered home within the next few days.

### Had to Draw Lots

The New England troops to leave here today will leave trains which are bringing Tennessee troops to El Paso. Three trains are expected to reach here early this morning.

There are four troops of Rhode Island cavalry here. Major Richards, the commanding officer of the Third (Island) squadron, was ordered last evening to have one Rhode Island troop prepared to entrain today. It was stated that there would not be room for more than one troop on the train which is to be sent to Rhode Island tonight.

It was the privilege of Captain Dean of A Troop to elect to have his troop go. He declined to do so, as did all of the other Rhode Island captains. Then lots were drawn by the four captains, and Captain Richards of B Troop drew the "go home" card.

When the men of the Bay State and Rhode Island units, which have been ordered home, learned last night that they were to go they threw their hats in the air, cheered and embraced each other for several minutes. Then they began to pack up. A Tennessee troop will take over the horses and quarters of B Troop, Rhode Island.

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## STATE PRIMARIES HELD IN NEW YORK TODAY

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A contest between Gov. Whitman and Samuel Seabury, the democratic candidate for nomination for governor, to obtain the progressive nomination for that office was the most interesting feature of the New York state primaries today. It was not expected that more than 20,000 of the 46,000 enrolled progressives would take part in the primaries. Both men asserted that they would win the progressive nomination.

Gov. Whitman's friends asserted he undoubtedly would win the republican nomination for Senator William M. Bennett by a large majority. Mr. Seabury's candidacy for the democratic nomination was unopposed. The names of both Seabury and Whitman appeared as candidates for the independence league nomination.

Another contest of importance was that of Robert Bacon, formerly United States ambassador to France, and William M. Calder, a former congressman, for the republican nomination for the United States senate. Mr. Bacon was supported by Col. Roosevelt who based his attitude upon Mr. Bacon's support of universal military service. The candidates for the democratic nomination for senator are former Gov. Thomas F. Conway and William F. McComb, formerly chairman of the democratic national committee.

The polls open at 3 p. m. and remain open until 9.

### Dance tonight, Highland Hall.

### GIRL LEFT ON TRACKS

Miss Mary Royce Assaulted by Three Strangers at Monson and Left Unconscious

MONSON, Sept. 19.—Miss Mary Royce, aged 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Royce of Green street, was assaulted late Sunday night on Main street by three unidentified men. She was struck on the head, the blow rendering her unconscious, and was then assaulted. Her body was found on a trolley track more than a quarter of a mile away by a car crew an hour after.

She was taken to her home, where she was resting comfortably late last night.

According to her story, she was on her way home from a friend's home when she noticed three men following her. She hurried to get away from them, but when they approached closely she saw them reaching for a gun. She was struck on the head, but knew nothing more until she was picked up. She has a bad bruise over her right eye, a deep cut in her head and bruises all over her body.

### PLANT JUICE HAS SURELY CURED ME

Sensational Testimonial Given the Plant Juice Man, at Dows, Merimack Square Store

One is not required to take Plant Juice, the new herbal stomach remedy, for weeks and months before he receives any benefit in order to convince the skeptical people immediately, the formula is so constructed

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as to give almost instant relief, thereby giving the sufferer the necessary confidence. He will then continue to use of Plant Juice until he has fully recovered his health. To these "skeptical" individuals, who want to be "shown," the following signed statement from Mr. Charles Leslie, of Billerica Centre, will be of interest.

Mr. Leslie is a well known business man of that town and has many friends and acquaintances in this city. He said:

"For 20 years I have been troubled with my stomach, which felt as if it were being twisted with a vise, and I would be in a perspiration from pain and weakness. I could not keep anything solid in my stomach. I would ferment and form gas, and I would be in constant agony afterward. I had terrible headaches, dizzy spells, could not sleep at night, and was all bloated with gas, which pressed on my heart, and caused constant pain. I got so weak that I did not care whether I worked or not. I had severe pains in my back, the muscles in my limbs were stiff and sore, and my entire body ached. I heard so much about Plant Juice that I got a bottle to try it, although I had not much faith in any medicine."

Now, I am thankful to say that I can eat anything. I sleep well, and have no more aches or pains, am not constipated, have no more headaches or dizzy spells, in fact, feel completely cured, and am able to enjoy all of my meals now without suffering afterward. I am glad to give this endorsement for Plant Juice."

The Plant Juice Man is at Dows, the Drugist in Merimack Square, where he is daily meeting the local public, and introducing and explaining the merits of this remedy. Free samples given.

### FOURTH AUTO THEFT

Haverhill Police Believe Boys Are Responsible for Week's Series—Big Touring Car Taken

HAVERHILL, Sept. 19.—The fourth automobile theft in a week in this city was reported to the police last night by Dr. A. J. Grandinovich. His 1909 touring car, which he left outside his office at that town and was stolen. The police suspect that boys are implicated in all of these thefts as in the three previous instances the stolen machines were found abandoned after the gasoline had been exhausted.

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